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## FIVE ROUNDS.

"KID" M'COY AGAIN PLACES HIM SELF IN CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS

## HE DEFEATED PETER MAHER.

BATTLE WAS WELL FOUGHT, BUT VICTOR WAS CLEVEREST

Beginning of the Contest Was Much Delay ed—Attendance S im—The Be ting —Fight by Rounds

New York, Jan 1 Kid McCoy again placed himself in the champion ship class by defeating Peter Maher in a short well fo ht ... of five rounds before the Coney Island Sport ing club this afternoon. The fight was scheduled for ... rounds and the purse was to have been $5,000 but the attendance was not ... as had been expected ... the fight was com menced ... it was agreed that the winner should receive the gross gate receipt

The battle was hard fought from start to finish but McCoy was by far the cleverer man in ring tactics ... ing skillest pping ... his ... powers. He showed at times ... to be a good ring general ... at him ... and never ... one ... Maher ... [illegible]

stripped for the battle, both looked to be in perfect condition and they were greeted with tumultuous applause. Under Marquis of Queensbury rules which according to the articles of agreement, were to govern the contest, new gloves which were provided by the club were handed to the referee and he in turn gave them to the boxers seconds

Maher donned his quickly but McCoy claimed that the gloves did not fit him and stubbornly refused to use them. He insisted on wearing an old pair which he claimed suited him, but Referee Charley White was obdurate and McCoy finally gave in

McCoy was the aggressor in the start off forcing Maher to break ground The Kid feinted cleverly with his left Maher sparring with an anxious look on his face Then the Kid sent a left hook to the jaw flooring the Irishman who was ... The Kid ... Maher tried ... for the head but McCoy ... He essayed another ... went wide of the mark ... in the body ... [illegible]

... nel ... then be ... rushing ... forcing the Kid to the rop ... the Irishman ... McCoy ... right place ... [illegible]

... the b fellow with ... next to ... and in ... to make vicious swings ... The Kid got into ... and ... the shoulders be ... hard to the body On ... away McCoy landed a ... Then they ... landing heav ... with both hands and ... his left to the ... this ... together

... the Irishman ... the right on jaw sent ... to his hands and knees There the Irishman remained for ... seconds When he got up he seemed to lose ... rushed at McCoy send ing his right to the body but received ... jabs in the face ... the Kid slipped to the floor but was up in a jiffy sending his left to ... throwing the Irishman ... head back Then two lefts to the jaw and a right over from the Kid ... a welcome sound for ... this time McCoy was more confident than ever He feinted but hooked his left to the jaw and escaped from ... return Then he began ... his long left into Peter's stomach and the Irishman began sput ... at long range With a well timed feint the Kid brought the big fellow to ... and sent him back with two left hooks on the jaw Maher essayed a right return but McCoy ducked and they came to a clinch from which the Kid sent straight to the face and an other to the stomach Maher then tried to mix it up and forced the Kid to the rope but the latter got back to the center of the ring where he landed a straight left to the face just a the call of time

McCoy assumed the agressive in the next round but Peter sparred carefully The Irishman soon began forcing and feinted the Kid into a left which landed lightly on the wind Then Maher forced McCoy into a neutral corner placing a terrific left on the face which jarred McCoy's head McCoy sidestepped in an unusual direction and Peter tried another left which fell short In the mixup which followed honors were about even but McCoy was cautioned by the referee for hold ing Maher outpointed the Kid by fifty percent in this round sending rights and lefts to the head while the Kid retaliated with lefts on the wind Toward the close of the round Maher was cautioned for holding and coming from a breakaway he sent a left hook to McCoy's face which did the Kid no good

At this stage of the game Maher's friends became very confident that the Irishman would get the better of the Hoosier lad but McCoy had a great deal more left in him than these people imagined He waited fo the big fellow who had the better of the previous round and tapped him with a left lightly in the face, all the time shifting to the left side then both landed lefts to the head Peter sent a

## SKIRMISH AT COLESBERG.

GEN FRENCH'S SUCCESS RECEIVES BRITISH COMMENDATION

## HE HAS BOERS ON THE RUN.

THE SKIRMISH, HOWEVER DOES NOT CHANGE SITUATION.

Boers at Modder River Modify Line of Defense—All Well at Ladysmith—War News

London Jan 2 4 15 A M The success of Gen French in driving the Boers from Colesburg has ... a welcome ray of light through the gloom of the cam paign in South Africa Everywhere it is commented upon as an example of some tactics ... is an illustration of what may be done with the right meth ods are employed with the Boers The

... government is urged to take the lesson to heart and see that no stone is l ft unturned in the endeavor to get the large t possible force s of cavalry and mounted infantry to the front

Now that Gen French has the Boers on the run the hope is expressed that he will give them no rest but will harass them until they have found their way across the Orange river which is ... miles distant ... wagon route to the Free State trav ... Colesburg and crosses the river by a fine bridge 13 0 feet long It is believed that the Boers retreated toward Norvals Pont further east and the question is whether Gen French will be able to s cure the bridges before the Boers destroy them

One important effect of the success of Gen French is that it will probably have a deterrent influence upon the Dutch disaffection There is some disposition here to exaggerate the impor tance of small skirmishes and engage ments It should be borne in mind that Gen French has only 2000 men and so far as the important points of the campaign are concerned the sit uation is virtually unchanged

At Modder river the Boers appear to be modifying somewhat their line of defense Gen Buller's scouts have discovered a Boer camp established in the vicinity of Springfield southwest of Colenso in Free State common lo A similar movement has been made at Modder river A large force of Boer it is said h s formed a new laager about 15 miles down the stream at Kameelhoek

Heliograph reports from Ladysmith show that all was well on Dec 31 The bombardment was being continued but its intensity has relaxed

An official despatch from Ladysmith confirms the report cabled yesterday that several officers of the Devonshire regiment were severely wounded by the explosion of a Boer shell in the mess tent

A new armorer train has reached Gen Buller from Durban

A Cape Town despatch says that an exchange of prisoners is under consid eration

The entire seventh division will have sailed from England by Jan 11

Lord Wolseley replying to a corre spondent who had asked for inform ation regarding the British artillery wrote

Our field artillery is at least as good as any field artillery in Europe '

ADD WAR

FRENCH TAKES COLESBURG

London Jan 1 The Daily Mail has the following despatch dated Jan 1 from Rensburg

"Yesterday afternoon a big force of cavalry and infantry with ten guns under the personal command of Gen French moving by detour occupied some hills three miles from Colesburg where the Boers were in strength confident in the natural and afforded them by the hills around

The enemy's position extended six miles around the entire village ... daybreak our artillery opened the bat tle The Boer were taken by surprise but replied ... A artillery duel was maintained for two hours Then a Boer Hotchkiss collapsed and was abandoned We captured it A Boer big gun was silenced but his and the other Boer guns were with drawn to the northward whither we

... are harassing the Boer retreat by a ... Christmas is in ... hands and the ... We have ... Boers must ... may stop ... at Norvals Pont where the bridge is s ... [illegible]



On the Road to Ladysmith

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## FIRST MOVEMENT.

BATTALIONS OF 39TH INFANTRY LAND AND OCCUPY BABUYAO

## TWO AMERICANS ARE KILLED.

ENEMY RETREATED TO SANTA ROSA, OUR TROOPS PURSUING

Heavy Fighting Along the Road—Southern Advance Will Continue—Uprising Prevented.

Manila Jan 1 10 30 P M The first movement of a general southern advance occurred this morning when two battalions of the 39th infantry landed and occupied Babuyao, on the south side of Laguna de Bay Two Americans were killed and four were wounded ... of the enemy's dead were ... in one house One hundred and fifty prisoners and four six pound rap id fire guns were captured

The gun boat Laguna de Bay bom barded the town before the disembark ation of the troops from the cascoes ... the enemy's ... Americans ... Heavy fight ... to Silang The ... between ... (not Babuyao) ... to Calamba ... then came to ... [illegible]

REGIMENTS MOBILIZING

... mobilizing to ... [illegible]

... the southern ... [illegible]

... two more regiments to be detailed for the protection of Manila Three thousand troops are now actually in the city

MAJOR MARCH'S CAPTURES

Manila Jan 1 Aguinaldo's ... Filipinos surrendered to Major March's battalion of the third infantry at Bontoc, province of ... [illegible]

The Filipino officers also surrendered to Major March and the Filipinos ... two Spanish and two American ...

It is announced from Manila Dec ... that Col ... some time pre vious to Dec 1 or perhaps that day had telegraphed to Vigan from Bayombong ... with a number of Igorrote litter bearers had crossed the mountains near Bayombong going southward and that his wife had died in a village in that vicinity It was ... that she had been ill since the birth of their son and that the hard ... of the flight proved fatal

## WILL RESUME WORK.

Fall River Mass Jan 1 The strike at the Sanford spinning and ... mill has been settled satisfactorily and all the help will resume work to mor row morning The trouble was ... out one of the ... speeder tenders and other operatives ... they did not receive the full advance ... the operative ... The ring ... concessions which are satisfactory to ... employes and they will receive the full increase beginning the week

FALL RIVER PRINT CLOTH

Fall River Mass Jan 1 The entire production of the print cloth mills of this city just past was 12 000 000 pieces with sales fully equal to that amount Business has been exceedingly good during the year and many contracts were made which extend through the entire year 1900 The largest sales in any month were made in October when 2 7?0 000 pieces were disposed of In May 1 400 000 pieces were sold ... in November 1 600 000 and in several other months a large proportion of the production was disposed of The average price of print cloth for the year was ... the price having varied from ... cents in January to 3¼ in Decem ber at which price the market is now

## ACCIDENT TO MR. CROKER.

He Slipped While Mounting a Horse, Breaking One of His Legs

London Jan 2 A special despatch from Wantage county of Berks says that Mr Richard Croker who has been staying at a country house near there slipped while mounting a horse owing to the animal's swerving and broke one of his legs

London Jan 2 Mr Croker is being attended by Dr Emerson who has re duced the fracture He is now resting easily

The accident occurred yesterday (Monday morning)

KILLED BY AN ELEVATOR

Clinton Mass Jan 1 Thomas ... hey a machinist in the Lancaster mills was today crushed to death by an ele vator

HEART RESCUE IN 30 MINUTES after momentarily expecting for years that death might snap the vital cord at any minute This is the story thous ands could tell and have told of the al most Divine formula Dr Agnew's Cure for the Heart Every day chronicles the taking away of many who have not heeded nature's warnings that the heart was tired out and needed the helping that this wonderful cure gives Heart disorders are insidious Don t trifle This great remedy attacks the disease instantly Sold by Caldwell Sweet and Ara Warren —51

## THE GERMAN ARMY.

Emperor William Addresses Officers of the Garrison.

Prussian Army Flags Re dedicated —The Ceremonies and Festivities of New Year's in Berlin

Berlin Jan 1 Emperor William at the New Year's parade today addressed the officers of the garrison as follows

The first day of the new century sees our army in other words our peo ple in arms gathered around their standards kneeling before the Lord of Host and verily if anyone has especial reason this day for bowing down before God it is our army A glance at our standards suffices as an explanation for they are the embodiment of our his tory

In what condition did the past cen tury at its dawn find our army? The glorious army of Frederick the Great had slept upon its laurels fossilized ... all the petty detail of pipe clay ... superannuated and inefficient generals with officers unaccustomed to useful work and lost in debauch luxury and foolish arrogance In many long years of bitter servitude God taught the people to look to itself and under the pressure of the foot of the proud conqueror our people engendered in it self the most sublime thought that it is the highest honor to dedicate ones blood and purse to the fatherland in ... service Form and life were given it by my great grandfather new laurels crowned the newly created army and its youthful banners but universal military service only attained its true significance through our great departed Emperor

So will I unerringly carry on and carry through the work of re organiza tion of my navy in order that it may be justified in standing by the side of my land forces and that by it the Ger man Empire may also be in a position to win the place which it has not yet attained

It seems singular that any woman should continue to suffer one moment with diseases like that from which Mrs Mary A Sasser was cured by the use of Dr Pierce's Favorite Prescrip tion From High Lamar Co, Texas she writes For three years I suffered with falling of the womb and ulcera tion After using three bottles of your Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pel lets I have found an entire cure. I am able to do my work with ease " "Favorite Prescription ' cures when all else has failed. Prove it. b


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## NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

Washington Social Season Brilliantly Ushered In.

President and Mrs McKinley Received Government Officials And Thousands of Guests

Washington Jan 1 Beneath a sky as bright as that above Cuba and in a wind as cold as the Arctic over 2000 citizens stood in line at the White House gates today waiting to pay their respects to the President of the United States after the brilliant official reception which ushered in the new year and marked the opening of the social season in Washington

There have been larger crowds in the past at the White House gatherings but few functions of the court have been more brilliant and in none have the crowds been better handled with less confusion or less of feminine heart aches and resentment for dainty toilettes disarranged in the crush Be ginning promptly at 11 A M the cere mony was concluded at 1 15 at which time 3500 guests had passed down the line Mrs McKinley was present de spite her feeble health She remained in the blue parlor only through the strictly official section of the program retiring then as had been previously arranged With the flush of excitement on her usually pale face she looked bright and happy as she led the cabi net procession from the corridor with the President to the blue room The brilliant lights reflected from the crys tal chandeliers ... the twinkle of tiny electric globes through the leafy ... jungle of palms ... an excellent stage setting for the offi cial procession as it moved down the stairs and through the blue parlor where the receiving party was to take its stand

Mrs McKinley bowed and smiled to the little crowd of favored spectators who filled the end of the corridor to witness this opening act of the ... ceremony As she turned into the blue room she kissed the tips of her white gloved fingers to some of the children who waved their hands to her from a point of vantage near the door The troublesome question of precedence be tween the army and navy was settled in favor of the former Gen Miles leading the military contingent with Adjutant Gen Corbin at his left side After the army had passed in review Admiral Dewey with the venerable Admiral Melville on his arm led the naval line Mrs Dewey was with the receiv ing party and was escorted in on the arm of Secretary Long

The diplomatic corps which headed the list of guests was as always the show feature of the reception Lord Pauncefote the British ambassador and dean of the corps led the way The display of uniforms was brilliant Tur kish fez gilded orders of continental powers the fur trimmed tunics and high polished boots of the Russian and the queer sage green gold en crusted uniforms of the Japanese and the ermine trimmed silken robes of the Koreans and Chinese all combined to form a picture of unusual brilliancy

Following these the American offi cials judges of the supreme court sen ators and representatives department chiefs and the like made a longer if less striking procession The reception to the general public concluded the function

## NEW YEAR DINNER PARTY.

A Delightful Event at the Snell House in Houlton, Monday.

(Special to Whig and Courier)

Houlton Me Jan 1 A delightful New Year dinner party was given at the Snell House in this place today at which many prominent Houlton people were present

Among those who were seated around the festive board were Mr and Mrs A H Fogg Mr and Mrs J C Mc Guire Mr and Mrs H T Frazier Mr and Mrs S Friedman Mrs Governor Powers Mrs F A Powers, Mrs Don A H. Powers and Llewellyn Powers Jr

## SITUATION IS CHAOTIC.

Frankfort Ky Jan 1 The day be fore the meeting of the legislature finds the present situation somewhat chaotic The Republicans and anti Goebel Democrats are expecting profit from the contentions among the Goebel Democrats for office but it is generally supposed that Goebel Democrats will organize both house It is probable that Senator Goebel will be the presi dent pro tem to the Senate If so he will preside in case of appeal from the decision of the Republican lieutenant governor

STOLE $2200 AND SET A FIRE

Whitinsville Mass, Jan 1 Thieves broke into the house of George Nelson at Castle Hill this morning and stole a safe containing $2200 after which they set fire to the dwelling to cover their crime Mr Nelson got up early to go to the barn only a short distance from the house On his return he found his desk ransacked, everything in confusion and the house on fire There is no clue to the perpetrators of the crime. The whole affair is involv ed in mystery.

## THE WEATHER.

Tuesday and Wednesday Predicted to be Fair—Northwesterly Gales, Diminishing in Force

Washington Jan 1 Forecast for Tuesday and Wednesday For Maine fair weather Tuesday and Wednesday, preceded by snow on the coast north westerly gales diminishing

Massachusetts ... Tuesday and Wednesday ... low temperature and high westerly winds, gales on the coast

BOSTON FORECAST.

Boston Jan 1 Local forecast Fair weather Tuesday and Wednesday, fresh west winds

GENERAL FORECAST

Washington Jan 1 The storm cen tral last night in the upper lake region has moved to New England, increas ing ... pressure of ... east wind ... reported from ...

The high ... has moved south east to North Dakota

Snow ... in the lake regions and middle Atlantic and New England states and rain in the South Atlantic states

The temperature has risen in the ... regions and remained nearly sta tionary elsewhere

Generally fair weather with slight ... may be expect ed ...

Northwesterly ... will prevail on the middle and north Atlantic coast and fresh ... westerly winds on the south Atlantic coast

CATTLE SHEEP AND SWINE

Chicago Jan 1 Cattle good to ... medium ... select ... good to choice cows ... calves ... and western range ... [illegible]

Sheep ... lambs ... hogs 23 000, sheep ...

SEPTEMBER WEDDING

... The ceremony was performed ... of the Church of the Holy ...

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THE [illegible] [illegible]ETS.

Mr. S. B. Gates, of Winn, was in Bangor Monday.

B. W. Hewes, Esq., of Danforth, was in the city Monday on business.

The Record Printing Company of Oldtown sends to the Whig a neat calender upon which is a fine likeness of old Molly Molasses of the Penobscot tribe of Indians.

The Whig is in receipt of some very unique calenders from the firm of Pearl & Dennett, Bangor's well known real estate dealers.

New Year's resolutions perhaps had their effect on the order of the city Monday, as there was no business before the municipal court on that day.

The wills of David Philbrook of Carmel and James Lawler of Herseytown have been filed at the probate office.

The University of Maine will resume its sessions on Thursday, the holiday recess ending Wednesday. For the two days previous to the regular opening, arrearage examinations will be held.

Mr. John H. Hirsch, of Danforth, was in the city on business Monday.

The city schools will open for another term this morning after a most enjoyable two weeks' vacation during the holidays.

At the annual meeting of St. Andrew's lodge the following officers for the ensuing year were elected Monday night: James A. Boardman, E. C.; P. H. Coombs, G.; C. J. Wardley, C. G.; W. H. Gorham, S. W.; E. J. Murch, J. W.; T. W. Burr, P.; G. W. E. Barrows, T.; J. H. Stone R.

A wild runaway occurred on Monday evening at about 5.30. A horse attached to a sleigh became frightened at the top of State street hill, and tore down the street at a terrific pace. At Pol's corner the horse turned and ran through Pickering square, narrowly escaping a collision with the St James Hotel, and through Broad street. By this time the sleigh to which the animal was attached was smashed into bits, and the scared beast went up through the square again on the jump, dragging the pieces after him. His career of crime ended on Harlow street, after a flying trip through Central, with the completely blown and very much heated horse and a demolished vehicle at the finish.

## THE POTATO CURE.

**Why the Devil Rheumatism No Longer Abides With an East Side Man.**

The friends of a certain East Side Man in this town are enjoying large quantities of cigars and things because there is a joke on that man. Though it would not be charitable to print the name of the Man, the tale is too good to be kept quiet.

The Man is one of those unfortunate beings who are afflicted with the Devil Rheumatism, and like all others of his kind he has tried everything that his kind friends have recommended from time to time, and also like all others of his class, he has found relief. One day some time ago when he was strong in the grip of his foe, a dear and valued friend came to the Man in his affliction and whispered in his ear a new remedy.

Said the friend: "Carry a small but healthy potato in your right hand trousers pocket." The Man went at once to the potato barrel and finding a fine round specimen, thrust it into his trousers and departed, feeling like a boy of ten.

Now it happened that this particular pair of trousers was old and threadbare, and inside of a week the Man purchased for his extremities new coverings, and the pair with the round potato in the right hand pocket was hung away in a closet and the absent minded Man forgot about it.

On Sunday the ancient pair of trousers was wanted by the Man, and he found the things and put them on. After they were comfortably settled the Man (as men will) shoved his hand into the right pocket. First there was a tickle, then a cold thrill, then there was a yell of Snakes! Help!——and other things.

The family came up stairs three at a time. The Man was on the ragged edge of complete prostration.

The potato had sprouted.

## REV. DR. FIELD'S CONDITION.

The attending physician reports that Rev. G. W. Field, who has been ill at his home on Broadway for some days past, was better yesterday than on the day before. The many friends and admirers of the able divine will all unite in wishing that the improvement may continue and that he will soon be restored to his usual good health.

## WHIG ADVERTISERS.

Your water taxes are now due and ten per cent. will be added to all rates re- maining unpaid after January 20. The collector's office will be open evenings from the 17th to the 20th inclusive.

Get one of the B. & H. central draft lamps at P. H. Vose & Co's. They will serve you well to read by these long evenings.

For tickling throat and slight coughs get the old fashioned horehound candy cough drops at Sweet's. For deeper ills try his White Pine Balsam.

A great slaughter sale is going on at Homestead's shoe store. Overshoes and rubbers are going at fearfully low prices there. Now is the time to buy when you need them the most.

## THE WELCOME SNOW.

**Bangor Visited by a Severe, But Much Appreciated Storm on the First Day of the Year.**

The long waited for and very welcome snow storm, which has been needed for so many days in Bangor, descended upon this city on Monday noon. At first the snow came down in fine flakes, which showed that the storm meant business. By half past two, the white stuff was coming along in dead earnest, and the store keepers began to look happy.

The trolley men did not appreciate the blessing so highly, for a big storm means lots of hard work for them, and they don't get any extra compensation for it either. But they were game, and in the afternoon the snow plows made their appearance and without half trying, kept the various lines open for business and causing but little delay. Towards night the snow began to pile up on the tracks, and the plows had to do a bit of hustling. The cars and plows ran at intervals all through the night and this morning finds the street cars ready for business, and on time.

The lumbermen will be among the thankful ones for the storm, and also the men who bring the milk to your door every morning. The small boy will rejoice with his sled and toboggan, and the unwary pedestrian will suffer thereby. There are lots of things about a snow storm to be thankful for, and when you are out in one when you don't want to be, and the stuff is sifting down between the collar of your coat and the back of your neck, just think of these thinks and don't growl.

## THE MAINE SUPREME BENCH.

**Judge Wiswell, of Ellsworth, Confirmed as Chief Justice Monday —T. A. Powers, of Houlton, As His Associate.**

Today at 2.30 P. M. Hon Andrew P. Wiswell, Chief Justice of Maine, will sit as the holder of that high office for the first time, in Bangor, at the opening session of the January term of court. Judge Wiswell went to Augusta on Monday to qualify for this most honorable position, which places him at the head of the judiciary of the state of Maine.

Judge Wiswell will be a worthy successor to the last chief justice, John A. Peters, who held the office before him, and who was such a brilliant light in the judiciary of Maine and of New England.

While not as many cases of importance are to be tried before this civil term of court, the new chief will find a large number of people in the court room to welcome his first appearance as the head of the law of the state.

Hon. Frederick A. Powers also went to Augusta on Monday to qualify as an associate justice of the supreme bench.

ARE CONFIRMED.

A later Associated Press despatch from Augusta says: Judge A. P. Wiswell, of Ellsworth, was confirmed as Chief Justice of the Maine supreme bench at 12.15 this morning. He was qualified in the presence of the Governor and council.

Frederick A. Powers, of Houlton, was confirmed and qualified as an associate justice.

## IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.

**Funeral of the Late Sumner L. Crosby—Floral Display Most Beautiful.**

The funeral of Sumner Laughton Crosby was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence on Main street. Rev. E. F. Pember of the Universalist church officiated. He made some very touching remarks upon Mr. Crosby's love for nature and also upon his wide acquaintance with many of the most prominent men of the country, who come to the Maine wilds.

The Apollo quartet rendered most appropriate music.

The floral display was most beautiful and included a large number of magnificent designs, among which were an immense sea gull mounted in a large oval glass case, resting on two easels, inserted in a frame of cut flowers of all descriptions; another was a large open book surrounded by a profusion of beautiful cut flowers and an oval white card about three feet long and two feet wide, on which was written in large gilt letters the following verse:

Farewell, my son, we'll meet again
Where there is no parting, no pain;
You've gone to meet our kindred dear,
Where will cease the flow of every tear.

Around this card was artistically arranged a profusion of roses, pinks, etc. Other donations of cut pieces gave evidence of the high esteem in which the deceased was held by a large circle of friends. [illegible] were [illegible] [illegible] Carney, [illegible] Taylor, [illegible]

Melvekie. Abel Hunt had charge of the funeral. The interment was at Mount Hope cemetery.

## THE QUEEN CITY.

**Bangor Effectively Described in Print and By Illustrations.**

We have received with the compliments of the compiler and publisher, Editor E. M. Blanding of the Industrial Journal and Secretary of the Board of Trade, a copy of the just-issued "Bangor and Vicinity." This is the most pretentious description of the Queen City which has yet been published and it is a fine one, too. It is not a pamphlet but a solid book of 256 pages, attractively bound and containing a large amount of reading matter together with very many most excellent illustrations.

There is an interesting write-up of Bangor's industries, resources, attractions, business life and Mr. Blanding has succeeded remarkably well in presenting an attractive subject in a justifiably roseate light, while his statistics are from the most accurate sources of information. The book is issued under the auspices of the Bangor Board of Trade and is a great credit to the compiler and publisher.

The book opens with an historical sketch of Bangor and then comes the Bangor of today. Subjects which receive special treatment are the transportation facilities, the financial institutions, the telephone service, commerce and trade manufacturers and exports, Bangor's advantages as a manufacturing and trade center, the Bangor Board of Trade and the University of Maine and they are presented in a most effective and readable manner.

Among the wealth of striking illustrations are the prize views of amateur photographers, who received the awards from the Board of Trade as a result of the competition in the early summer. It is from the Industrial Journal print and is a good evidence of the skilled work turned out there.

The book will be at once placed on sale at the book stores and at the publisher's and there will undoubtedly be a lively demand for it. "Popular" prices prevail with this book as follows: Paper binding, 50 cents; cloth, 75 cents, and white buckram, $1.

## ORIENTAL LODGE.

**Regular Meeting Held Last Light And Officers For 1900 Elected.**

At the regular meeting of Oriental lodge, No. 60, I. O. O. F., on Monday evening, the following officers were installed for the ensuing year by District Deputy Grand Master Thos. S. MacDonald, assisted by J. T. Holbrook as grand marshal, Everett C. Chase as grand Warden, Chas. D. Page as grand secretary and J. Frank Cook as grand treasurer:

Noble grand, John Gilbert; vice grand, Arthur G. Williams; secretary, Albert F. Smith; treasurer, Frank J. Temple; R. S. N. G., W. T. Pierce; L. S. N. G., J. Kane; R. S. V. G., Clarence Raynes; L. S. N. G., W. S. McKusick; conductor, D. G. Annis; warden, Louis Goldburg; R. S. S., Jesse L. Graffam; L. S. S., G. W. Smith; chaplain, J. D. Hatfield.

After the installation a fine supper was served to the members and visitors in the banquet hall.

## CHIEF FELLOWS' RECOMMENDS.

Chief Engineer S. L. Fellows of the fire department has sent to the city government the following recommendations for officers of various fire companies for the year 1900:

Hook and ladder company: Captain, Dennis Curran; lieutenant, Louis McDonald; clerk, John S. O'Leary; nightman, David Mackie; driver, Ambrose Merrill; engineer Joseph Kimball.

Hose 1: Andrew J. Varney as nightman. No other changes.

Hose 2: No changes.

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Hose 4: No changes.

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## MAINE POSTMASTERS.

**Nominations for Dexter and Machias.**

Washington, Jan. 1. Freeman H. Dearth has been nominated for postmaster at Dexter, and E. H. Bryant for postmaster at Machias.

## WILL RE-ORGANIZE.

**Heavy Reduction in Military Commands in Cuba Expected—New Cuban Cabinet—Other Matters.**

Washington, Jan. 1. It is probable that the present month will be marked by a complete reorganization of the military commands in Cuba. The impression prevails that there is to be a heavy reduction in these commands and it is intimated that the outcome will be the creation of two departments instead of the six which originally composed Cuba, and the four into which the island is now divided. Gen. Wilson, who commands the combined departments of Matanzas and Santa Clara, has been ordered to Washington [illegible] government for Puerto Rico and with legislation for Cuba during the time it shall remain under the American control.

The combined department of Santiago and Puerto Principe is without a commander, although the duties of the post vacated by Gen. Wood upon his promotion to the governor generalship are being temporarily discharged by the senior colonel. Thus the entire orient, as the eastern half of the island is called, is without a permanent commander. It is understood that the four departments in the orient will be consolidated into one and that a brigadier general will be named by Secretary Root upon the recommendation of Gen. Wood, to take command with headquarters at Santiago.

ON HER WAY TO HAVANA.

Washington, Jan. 1. The Viking, which has just been turned over to the army, has arrived at Savannah on her way to Havana.

THE CABINET.

Havana, Jan. 1. The newly appointed cabinet will hold its first meeting tomorrow, when the following secretaries will meet Gen. Wood, Secretary of State and Government, Senior Diego Tamayo.

Secretary of finance, Senor Jose Enrique Verona.

Secretary of justice, Senor Luis Estevez.

Secretary of public works, Senor Jose Ramon Vallalon.

Secretary of education, Senor Juan Hernandez Barriero.

Secretary of agriculture, industry and commerce, Senor Rius Rivera.

## LATE WAR DESPATCHES.

Cape Town, Dec. 31. Ugly rumors are in circulation of a Dutch rising with the object of seizing Cape Town and the docks and capturing the governor of Cape Colony, Sir Alfred Milner. The center of the movement is said to be Paaral, a villabe about 30 miles from Cape Town, where a meeting of the Afrikanders' bund was held yesterday.

A similar meeting was held at Richmond on Dec. 28, and it is reported that the members of the bund in these two towns are acting in concert.

The members of the bund at Wellington and the Dutch in Clan William district are said to be armed with Mausers and to be anxious to use them in behalf of the Boers.

Although the stories of a rising are discredited, the police and military are taking ample precautions.

TO BRIDGE THE TUGELA.

London, Jan. 2, 4.30 A. M. A British firm, according to the Daily News, after keen competition with several American firms, has accepted the government contract for the new seven span bridge over the Tugela river at Colenso. The firm is working night and day to complete the order.

It is said that Mr. John Churchill, younger brother of Mr. Winston Churchill, will accompany the Duke of Marlborough to the seat of war.

BUNDESRATH AT DURBAN.

Durban, Jan. 1. The imperial mail steamer Bundesrath of the German East African line, which was seized by the British cruiser Magicienne on the ground that she was carrying contraband of war in Delagoa bay, has been brought to wharf here and is now boarded by marines and blue coats. The United States, German, Russian and Austrian military attaches who spent the holidays in Durban, returned to the front this evening.

The White Star line steamer Magic which left Liverpool on Dec 13 with 2000 troops, arrived here today.

DIFFICULTIES INCREASE.

London, Jan. 1. The Standard's correspondent at Frere camp, telegraphing on Jan. 1, says:

Sir Charles Warren's division is now nearly complete. Its headquarters will be Estcourt. It is rumored here that the guns which were captured from Gen. Buller at Colenso have been mounted in the hills commanding the drift over the Tugela river at Springfield. The Boers, it appears, captured 620 rounds of shrapnel when they took the guns.

"Gen. Buller's difficulty has been immeasurably increased by the enforced delays since the last engagement. He has before him a series of walled and fortified wolls, 16 miles along the line of the Tugela. These are swarming with the enemy, posted in positions of great strength and bristling with guns, while the river in front is in full flood. The coming battle will certainly be the stiffest and probably the most momentous of the entire campaign.

## GOEBEL NOMINATED.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 1. All doubt as to the ability of the Goebel Democrats to organize both houses of the legislature was dispelled by the attendance in the Democratic caucus tonight. Senator Goebel was nominated for president pro tem. of the senate and the entire Goebel slate went through.

In the senate caucus Senator Harold created a sensation by making an alleged expose of the anti-Goebel lead, declaring that he had been approached by J. H. Whalen, of Louisville, and paid $4,500 to remain out of the caucus. The money, he said, had been placed in a box with the Louisville Trust Co., the key to which he passed up to Senator Goebel who was presiding over the caucus ending his speech by declaring that he had entered into the deal for the purpose of exposing Whalen.

Attorneys for Goebel and other contesting Democratic candidates for state offices today served notices upon the Republican contestees to take depositions to be used as evidence in the pending contest cases and naming their witnesses.

The Republicans decided tonight to hold a conference tomorrow and nominate a straight Republican slate for candidates.

## MR. CARNEGIE'S GIFT.

New York, Jan. 1. Andrew Carnegie has donated to Cooper Union $300,000 for the establishment of a day school similar in scope to the present night school, the object of which will be to give such practical instruction as shall enable young men [illegible] [illegible]

## CALAIS AND VICINITY.

**Severe Winter Weather Strikes Town—Rumored That the Calais Advertiser is to Change Hands—High School Entertainment—Other Matters.**

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Calais, Jan. 1. Washington County engine No. 11 has been brought up from Eastport where she has been at work under charge of Engineer Goodman all summer handling the large amount of business that has been moving in and out of that place. She will do the yard work here and will be run by E. O. Moore. She is a shifter of the six-driver type, and was built for the company last spring by the Brooks Locomotive Co.

The temperature Monday morning at different points within the city limits was registered at from 10 to 20 degrees below zero. The river, which froze up during the night, was broken out by the tug Henry Wellman early in the forenoon. This is the severest weather of the season thus far, and many are the reports of frozen and "busted" waterpipes. The plumbers will get a fat thing out of it.

Miss May Foster, who has been slightly ill for the last few days, is at last well enough to be out. Miss Foster's engagement to Marry Wellington of Houlton has been announced, and it is understood that the wedding will take place about the 17th of this month. Miss Foster is one of Calais' most popular young ladies and will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends. Mr. Wellington is well known here and is much to be congratulated.

The Rev. Mr. Higinan of China will deliver an address on the subject of his labors in the missionary field there, which will undoubtedly prove of great interest to all who attend. The address will be given on Thursday evening in the vestry of the St. Stephen Trinity church.

A small boat was seen early Monday morning making its way across the river from St. Stephen to Calais. The difficulties of the two men who occupied it were equal to those of Washington in his famous feat of crossing the Delaware. The stream was full of floating ice which near the shore was of quite formidable thickness and strength. One of the men stationed himself in the bow, while the other applied himself to the oars and managed to make some headway against the swift outward current. After a while they landed safely, but the use of axes and poles had to be resorted to before they could make that achievement possible.

It is rumored that the Calais Advertiser one of the oldest papers in the county, and the organ of the Republican party, will soon change hands so far as the management is concerned. It is owned by a syndicate of prominent men and has been run for the past year by A. C. V. Smythe, who contemplates resigning. It is not known who will be the person to take it in hand next, but there are said to be several young men who would like to make a try at it.

The next meeting of the Whist club will be at Mrs. Wilfred Eaton's home on Main street on Thursday evening.

John Ray, clerk of the St. Croix Water Co., is sending out the bills for the next six months.

The winter term of the Calais public schools will begin Tuesday, Jan. 2.

The senior class of the Calais high school will give another of their series of entertainments on Friday, Jan. 5th. It will consist of an illustrated lecture by Albert Armstrong, and the subject will be the masterpiece of Dr. John Watson (Ian McClaren), the Scotch dialect author, "Beside the Bonny Briar Bush." The story of the book will be told and many of the striking situations with which it abounds will be vividly presented. The many admirers of the work will be glad of such a fine opportunity for detailed and intelligent study of so charming a book.

A. K. Ames of the firm of lumber dealers of Machias now embodied in the Machias Lumber Company but formerly bearing the name of its founder, John K. Ames, is in town on business. He returned to Machias Monday evening.

John Trimble of the firm of Trimble Bros., and one of the most popular of the young society people of this city, acted as floor manager at the New Year's ball at Pembroke Monday evening.

Benjamin Y. Curran, who is studying law at the Boston University Law school, will return to the Hub on Wednesday to resume his work, after spending the holidays with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. Geo. W. Curran of this city.

G. H. Gehigan of the Bangor Daily News arrived in Calais on Monday.

The banks are closed today (Monday) on account of its being a legal holiday.

The New Year starts in with a blizzard which began during the forenoon of Monday, and at this writing it is snowing and blowing with great violence. It is not thought that any serious delay to trains will be caused by the storm.

Mr. George W. Curran, collector of customs for Washington county, stated to the Whig man that owing to the boom which this vicinity has received from the advent of the railroad the receipts of the Calais custom house have been over $10,000 for the last month. This is a very substantial increase over last year's receipts for the corresponding month, and is due principally to the importation of coal, wool, lumber, etc.

The heavy snowplow of the Calais & St. Stephen R. R. Co. is out late this (Monday) afternoon in the endeavor to keep the tracks clear of the snow, which is now falling very rapidly, so that the traffic of the road may not be obstructed. The plow is a big one and "cuts a wide swath," sending clouds of snow in every direction. It seems as if it would take a pretty heavy storm to put it out of commission. It is seldom that so severe a storm accompanies such a low mercury as exists today, but at the present writing there is no sign of any abatement.

Mrs. Irving McAllister is reported as well on the road to recovery. Her illness has been of a very serious nature, and her many friends will be glad to learn that she is now out of danger. It is not expected that she will [illegible]


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## SHIPPING NEWS.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 1. Arr schr Florida, Colon.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 1. Arr yesterday, schrs Annie A. Booth, Boston; Lizzie D. Small, Portland; Thistle, New Haven.

Yarmouth, N. S., Dec. 27. Arr schrs Mercedes, N. Y.; 28th, Roseneath, Perth Amboy.

Portland, Me., Jan. 1. Arr tug Georges Creek, Baltimore with barges A and No. 18. Schrs S. C. Tyron, Gaul, Phila.; Henry May, Saco. Cleared schr Chas. L. Jeffreys, Porto Rico.

Hyannis, Mass., Jan. 1. Arr schrs Abbie S. Walker and Mollie Rhodes, Carver's Harbor for Phila.; George Bird and Eugene Borda, Rockland for N. Y.; Abenaki, Demariscotta for N. Y.; Eltie (Br.) St. John for N. Y.

Bath, Me., Jan. 1. Arr schr Henry Clausen, Jr., Darien Ga.

Moville, Jan. 1. Arr str Monteagle, St. John, N. B., via Halifax for Lpool.

Llanell, Dec. 29. Arr bark Echo, Moser River.

Glasgow, Dec. 30. Sld str Norwegian, Portland.

Melbourne, Dec. 26. Arr bark Akershus, St. John.

New York, Jan. 1. Arr schr Olive Ames, Perth Amboy for an eastern port.

Wiscasset, Me., Jan. 1. Arr schrs Mary E. Lynch, Perth Amboy.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Jan. 1. Arr schrs Mildred A. Pope, Port Liberty for Pocasset; Flora Rogers, Brunswick for Bath; Mary A. Hall, Savannah for Bucksport; George W. Glover and Morris and Cliff, Rockland for N. Y.; John M. Plummer, Grand Manan for do; Carrie Easter (Br.) Lpool, N. S., for New Haven.

Boston, Jan. 1. Arr strs Sagamore, Lpool; schrs Loring C. Ballard and Cox and Green, Phila.; Francis Goodnow, Amboy; Daylight, Sullivan Sawin, Lydia M. Deering and Sarah W. Lawrence, all from Baltimore; John M. Fiske, Nutt, Rockport, Me. Sld tugs Tamaqua towing barges Mahanoy from Phila for Newburyport and Indian Ridge for Portland; Georges Creek towing barges A and No. 18 from Baltimore for Portland.

## THE STORM IN NEW ENGLAND.

Boston, Jan. 1. The first genuine snow storm of the season passed over New England today leaving a mantle of feathery whiteness to a depth of several inches, while in Maine and New Hampshire the fall was over a foot. As usual in heavy snow storms, traffic both on the steam and electric lines was considerably delayed although there was no actual blockade. The storm in south eastern New England did not compare with the fury shown down toward the provinces, where the wind blew a whole gale nearly all day, drifting the snow very badly. While six inches of dry light snow fell in this city, on Cape Cod less than a hundred miles to the eastward, it rained hard nearly all day. In the Bay of Fundy the gale was particularly severe and coming on the new moon, the tide was very high. Up to a late hour tonight no tales of wreck or disaster had been received. The snow in this section is practically the first since last winter. There was a slight fall in November but the month of December was quite dry and very dusty.

THE FALL AT GARDINER.

Gardiner, Me., Jan 1. A fierce northeast storm commenced here this morning and is still raging. The light fall of snow is drifting. Afternoon and evening trains going east were from 1 to 2 hours late, the weather very cold.

CHANGED TO RAIN.

Provincetown, Mass., Jan. 1. The easterly snow storm of the morning changed to rain at noon. The coasters anchored here for several days remain.

HOW NEW HAMPSHIRE FARED.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 1. The first snow fall of any consequence this season today covered central New Hampshire's [illegible] and tonight snow was falling to [illegible] extent.

The snow caused but little trouble to the transportation companies. The [illegible] snow fall for December was the [illegible] on record in this section, being [illegible] than six inches.

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**Woodland Party on Monday a Most Delightful Social Event.**

The first social event of the new year was the Woodland party given by the Bachelor's Club. This function was to have been given on Christmas but on account of the weather it was postponed one week, and on Monday, New Year's day, the event came off. The party, numbering about 40 of Bangor's society people, young and old, left the Exchange street station at 2 P. M., and in spite of the snowy, blowy day, everybody was bent on a good time.

The party arrived at Woodland at 2.45, where a warm camp and a good fire awaited them. Tobogganing and snow-shoeing were indulged in during the light hours of the afternoon, and when it became dark, Japanese lanterns and torches of red fire were lighted and placed along the slide. The effect was very pretty, and the sport was enjoyed by all the members of the party, until the supper call sounded. A tent had been pitched near the camp, and an excellent supper was served by the steward, Mr. Fred Perkins. After supper there was more sliding, and many a song was sung before the big open fire in the camp. The party left for home by special train, arriving in this city at 11 o'clock.

## PROF. HENRY C. EMERY

**To Leave Bowdoin College for Yale's Chair of Political Economy.**

Prof. Henry Crosby Emery, Ph. D., of Ellsworth, professor of political economy and sociology at Bowdoin College for the past two years, has been elected to the professorship of political economy at Yale University.

Prof. Emery is a son of Judge L. A. Emery of the Maine supreme court, a graduate of Bowdoin in the class of '92. He studied economics and philosophy for a year at Harvard, receiving the degree of A. M.; was a fellow in social science in Columbia, receiving the degree of Ph. D., and pursued courses in the University of Berlin for two years. He is a member of the American and British Economic Associations.

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## THE BACHELOR'S CLUB.

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[T]he first social event of the new [yea]r was the Woodland party given by [the] Bachelor's Club. This function [was] to have been given on Christmas [but] on account of the weather it was [post]poned one week, and on Monday, [New] Year's day, the event came off. [The] party, numbering about 40 of Ban[gor] society people, young and old, left [the] Exchange street station at 2 P. [M.] and in spite of the snowy, blowy [...] everybody was bent on a good [time].

[T]he party arrived at Woodland at [...] where a warm camp and a good [...] awaited them. Tobogganing and [snow]-shoeing were indulged in during [the] light hours of the afternoon, and [whe]n it became dark, Japanese lan[tern]s and torches of red fire were [lit]ed and placed along the slide. The [...] was very pretty, and the sport [was] enjoyed by all the members of [the p]arty, until the supper call sound[ed.] A tent had been pitched near the [cam]p, and an excellent supper was [serv]ed by the steward, Mr. Fred Per[kin]s. After supper there was more [...]ing, and many a song was sung be[fore] the big open fire in the camp. The [par]ty left for home by special train, ar[rivi]ng in this city at 11 o'clock.

## PROF. HENRY C. EMERY

Leave Bowdoin College for Yale's Chair of Political Economy.

[P]rof. Henry Crosby Emery, Ph. D., [of] Ellsworth, professor of political [eco]nomy and sociology at Bowdoin [Col]lege for the past two years, has [bee]n elected to the professorship of po[litic]al economy at Yale University.

[P]rof. Emery is a son of Judge L. A. [Em]ery of the Maine supreme court, a [grad]uate of Bowdoin in the class of '92, [and] studied economics and philosophy [for] a year at Harvard, receiving the [degree] of A. M.; was a fellow in social [scie]nce in Columbia, receiving the de[gree] of Ph. D., and pursued courses in [the] University of Berlin [illegible]

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## [ILLEGIBLE HEADLINE]

A HOT OLD TIME SUCCESSFULLY PRESENTED AT OPERA HOUSE

## THE NEXT ATTRACTION HERE

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN WITH BLOOD THIRSTY HOUNDS, THURSDAY.

The Effie Carleton Company Here Next Week—"Dad in Harness," on the Way.

Had it not been for the severe storm of Monday undoubtedly large audiences would have witnessed the afternoon and evening performances of "A Hot Old Time," as it was a rather slim crowd attended. But those who were there were kept in a continuous roar from the time the curtain went up on the first act until it dropped on the last. The work of Dan Gracey and Frank Wesson was exceedingly funny and their wit kept the audience in excellent humor through out the evening.

The coon songs by Miss Ada Burnett and also Miss Flora Evans and Mr. Frank A. Morrill were very well rendered, the negro dialect being exceptionally good. The cake walk by the entire company was not the least of the features by any means.

The Fanchonettie sisters deserve especial mention upon their wonderful dancing specialty, which was an extraordinary performance.

On the whole the play met with general favor as was evidenced by the continuous applause from the audiences.

EFFIE CARLETON.

A Massachusetts paper contains the following about the Effie Carleton company to appear at the Opera House next week:

The Effie Carleton company opened at the Lyceum theatre last night for a run of one week. The play last evening was "In Tennessee" and it was put on in good shape, and much enjoyed by the large audience present. The play is a strong one, and the climaxes were receivd with applause. The principal actors were Mr. and Mrs. Carleton who did some fine acting. The specialties were good, especially Effie Carleton's picture dance, which was loudly applauded. The best feature of the show was the buck and wing dancing of Kid Williams. This was without doubt the best dancing of this kind ever seen in town.

This company will be here the week of Jan. 8.

"DAD IN HARNESS."

"Dad in Harness' will be the first attraction of the new year at The Nordumbega, opening Monday for a three nights' engagement. This is a farce comedy, probably today the most popular form of entertainment, which was written with the sole idea of causing laughter and pleasure. The company carries its own special scenery, an innovation in farce comedy, and will undoubtedly meet with favor and large patronage here.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

Stetson's double Uncle Tom's Cabin company will appear at the Opera House on Thursday afternoon and evening of this week. The company is one of the largest and best Uncle Tom companies traveling, comprising 50 artists. So complete is their scenery that the piece could be put on in a barn for better scenic effects than is produced by any other company. They have a grand double band and orchestra of ten pieces and one that is hard to beat. The African mandolin students are the first and only colored people appearing in public and performing on the Spanish mandolin. The Lone Star quartet is claimed to be without an equal, and the Topsies, there they have something that charms all. Two Marks, the best that a big salary can secure. If we do not give the best performance of this piece ever seen in this city we will cheerfully refund the price of admission. Will any other Uncle Tom's Co. do this? No, because they have not got the show to do so. Stetson's company have. The only company that has a female Cradle quartet, also female drum corps and southern cake walkers, buck and wing dancers. Look out for the big parade at noon.

The seat sale will be open this morning. Children will be admitted to the best seats at the matinee for 10 cents.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Charles E. Lunt, formerly toll collector for the Bangor Bridge Company, will represent the Berlin Bridge Company at the Paris exposition this year. Mr. Lunt is already en route for the French capital.

Ansil A. Clark, a former Maine boy now of California, where he is extensively engaged in the fruit business, is visiting in this city.

Mr. George Bancroft Fernald, of Orono, leaves this morning for Cambridge, Mass., to resume his studies at Harvard.

Miss Ethel P. Stetson and her guest Miss Page, will start this evening on their return to Smith College.


WINDSOR HOTEL, [illegible]
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## PENOBSCOT INDIANS.

Agent George Hunt Speaks of What They Do and Their Condition.

Agent George Hunt of the Penobscot Indians, who has made his report to the governor and council, says that the past twelve months were an extremely bad year for him, for though he had not overdrawn his appropriation, he was several hundred dollars behind the specified amount on account of the illness that had beset the tribe in the winter of 1899, and had rolled up to quite a number of bills.

These Indians under Mr. Hunt's care do a great deal in the way of making baskets.

"We encourage the work," he says, "by paying them for the baskets and then selling as we can. We at one time carried over a large stock of the baskets and we also had quite a number of canoes at one time. We cannot get up a good canoe for less than $25, while several firms are doing the work for $20. This has left that class of the work worthless for us.

"Our people do a great deal of work at the summer resorts and in this way earn a good deal of money. They have villages at Old Orchard and several places, but the past season found many of the Old Orchard people at Norumbega park in Massachusetts. Usually they are scattered from Oldtown to Cape May in the summer seasons. The other tribe does the greater part of its work on the Maine coast, a great many going to Bar Harbor and Southeast Harbor. The Passamaquoddies also have a great trade in gulls' breasts in season, but that is not to be depended upon.

Other than in the way of the illness, at one time nearly half the tribe being ill, this has been a successful year."

His report shows that he made one good sum in letting the shores of the islands, as is the custom. He let them so that the yearly rental in the future will be $3474.50 instead of $2587 as formerly. Improvements have been going on all the time and among them is the addition of a new school house. The number of Indians shown by the annual census is 397, against 400 last year.

Several of the younger men and women have been admitted to the Carlisle school for Indians the past fall. The agent speaks of the recent election of a policeman in which the vote stood at a tie, and he says they are planning upon another election, each party being confident of victory.

The agent advises that a contract be made with one or two of the Oldtown physicians for the treatment of the tribe for a certain sum per year, believing it would be a step to save money on account of the prevalence of sickness.

## THE HOTEL REGISTER.

Messrs. F. M. Simpson, Carmel; H. W. Mayo, Hampden; J. A. Brown and Miss Clara L. Brown of Houlton, were registered at the Bangor House Monday.

The following were among the arrivals at the Bangor Exchange Monday: Messrs. C. A. Newcomb, South Newburg; Austin Cary, Brunswick and C. F. Nickerson, Valley Falls, R. I.

Messrs. F. E. Johnson, Brunswick; W. H. Bither and W. B. Gray, Mattawamkeag, and E. G. Hale, Medway, were in the city Monday at the Windsor.

At the Penobscot Exchange Monday were registered John W. Hinch and Harry J. Hinch, of Danforth, and Frank S. Carr, Sangerville.

## A PROGRESSIVE DINNER PARTY.

Unique Affair Arranged by a Company of Prominent Bangor People.

Beginning tonight a party of Bangor people will enjoy the first of a series of dinners, an affair of unusual uniqueness called a "Progressive Dinner Party." The first meal will be served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell Swett and the last at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robinson, on Maple street.

Following are those who will make up the company:

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Head, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Webster, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cutter, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Freeland, Dr. Butler and wife and Caldwell Sweet and wife.

NEW CORPORATIONS.

The following companies have filed certificate of incorporation at the State House:

The Boston Baking Powder company, organised at Portland for the purpose of manufacturing and dealing in baking powder, with $10,000 capital stock, of which $4600 is paid in. The officers are: President, G. R. Gay of Cambridge, Mass.; treasurer, A. B. Ryan, of Middletown, Conn. Certificate approved Dec. 28, 1899.

S. W. Thaxter & Co., organized at Portland for the purpose of dealing in grain, with $30,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid in. The officers are: President, S. W. Thaxter of Portland, Me.; treasurer, E. G. Baker of Portland, Me. Certificate approved Dec. 27, 1899.

GEO. V. METZEL DEAD.

York, Pa., Jan. 1. George V. Metzel, founder of the [illegible] [illegible]

## MA[...]NE[...]

BELFAST POLICE CAPTURE A GIRL IN MALE ATTIRE.

## SHE TELLS A STRANGE STORY.

SHE IS EIGHT AND PRETTY AND TALKS INTELLIGENTLY.

Gives Her Name as Ethel A. Jocelyn, of Arlington, Mass.—Has Run Away From Home Before.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Belfast, Me., Jan. 1. Belfast has a genuine sensation in a woman prisoner at the jail, dressed in men's clothes. She is young and makes a good-looking young man, although dressed in rather a shabby coat and pants, while her bundle of women's clothes are of very good material and of stylish make. If she was dressed in them she would be decidedly good looking was the mental comment of your reporter when he called to see her Sunday afternoon. She was an easy person to interview and told her story, when she got started, brightly and with intelligence.

She gave her name as Ethel A. Jocelyn of Arlington, Mass., and said that she had never been in Maine before except once on an excursion to Portland. She said that her mother was dead and that she was brought up by her father's folks at Halifax, Mass., until she was in her 16th year, when she ran away and was soon after taken charge of by Miss Caroline Caswell of the Willard Y settlement at No. 11 Myrtle street Boston, and that Rev. C. L. D. Younkin of 201 North street was appointed her guardian until she became 21 years old. She says that she is now 21, although she looked to the writer to be two or three years younger than that.

She said that she lived with Miss Caswell two or three years, and last June ran away in boy's clothes, and after a time got a place as a girl at Nantasket Beach, where she worked until September.

To escape from her guardian she said that she ran away again last September in boy's clothes and was detected by him and arrested, but was discharged without trial and turned over to the charge of Miss Caswell again, who sent her to live with her two aunts, Mrs. Alexander Maybee and Mrs. H. O. Cook, on Bedford street, Arlington, Mass. While there, she says, she worked in a shoe shop until the work gave out.

She again determined to run away, giving, with a smile, as a reason that people talked about her on the street, saying that she was the girl who was arrested for wearing men's clothes.

She made up a bundle of her Uncle Cook's cast off clothing and came to Boston last Thursday and stopped that night with a friend in Dorchester, and Friday got Superintendent Austin to give her a ticket on the Penobscot as far as Belfast, and a meal ticket.

She wore her woman's clothing to Belfast, but changed them for her man's attire soon after she got here. She says that she arrived at about 10.30 A. M. and bought a pair of gloves and started out in the country.

After changing to represent a young man she says that she intended to walk until she came to a village and seek employment, saying again with a smile that she thought she would be more likely to get work as a boy than as a girl.

She had on a pair of stout boy's shoes, a good soft hat and a serviceable though worn coat and trousers. She had on a colored flannel shirt, but no vest.

She talked confidently and without timidity, but used good language and said nothing coarse nor vulgar. She did not appear giddy nor laugh outright, but would sometimes smile. She said she was sorry for what she had done and wished she could get back under the care of Miss Caswell, who had always been her friend.

She said she feared she was a disgrace to Miss Caswell, and hoped that that kind lady would not be injured by her misconduct. Still the girl in boy's clothes did not seem very deeply cut up by what had happened.

The officers say that they were informed by Mr. Joseph M. Flagg at about 12 Saturday noon that a young woman had just been at his house while he and his wife were away and had asked the children to be allowed to use a private room for a short time. She had done so and when she came out she appeared as a man instead of a woman.

The children watched the person and saw her hide a bundle under the high sidewalk that crosses a gulch near the Muck pond.

Deputy Sheriff Merton G. Norton immediately went in pursuit and overtook her about two miles out on Lincolnville avenue. She stoutly denied being a woman.

She told the matron of the jail that her father was dead, but that her mother was alive, and in some other particulars told a somewhat different story from what she afterwards insisted was true.

She had a letter addressed to her "Dear Mother" [illegible]

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by some to resemble a sister of hers. She made no inquiries as to the road she was taking and was on the right road to relatives of the Jackson girl's. The prisoner stoutly denies any relationship.

The Boston police have sent a dispatch saying that Ethel A. Jocelyn is known there and that they have no case now against her. Her escapade is a curious one, and she naively said that it was just a freak of hers. She is held to await further developments.

## NO BILL REPORTED.

Federal Grand Jury Finds No Case Against Senator Gallinger—His Statement.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 1. The federal grand jury for this district after several days' sitting rose this afternoon and immediately thereafter United States District Attorney Hamblett of Nashua, announced that "no bill had been reported against Senator Jacob H. Gallinger." Two indictments had been found by the jury in other cases but interest centered in the charges which were heard before it brought by former Governor Charles A. Busiel alleging that Senator Gallinger had violated the civil service laws in permitting circulars to be sent to government office holders soliciting funds. Among the witnesses was Senator Wm. E. Chandler, and the others included some of the best known Republicans in the state. The presentation of the case before the jury was delayed by the absence of Mr. John H. Walker, secretary to Senator Gallinger, and as that gentleman appeared today, the case was quickly ended. The United States court opened its session this afternoon when two indictments were reported and the announcement as to Senator Gallinger's case was made.

Later in the afternoon Senator Gallinger issued the following statement:

"I accepted the chairmanship of the Republican state committee at the earnest solicitation of the leading candidates on the ticket in response to the unanimous demand of the committee itself. I took the place at a time when I greatly needed rest, simply because I felt that I was drafted into the service. I had no personal or political stake in the campaign and gave my services wholly for the benefit of others.

"The campaign was conducted decently and honorably, a less amount of money being spent than in any campaign since 1880, being considerably less than one-half of the amount expended in the campaign of 1894 when Charles A. Busiel was a candidate for governor and Wm. E. Chandler a candidate for re-election to the Senate.

"For the faithful and unselfish services I gave my party and its candidates, I have been calumniated by certain men, investigated by the United States civil service commission and presented to a federal grand jury for indictment. The whole affair has been a discreditable, personal, political persecution. It has ended precisely as I knew it would end, and as almost every self-respecting citizen of the state expected it to end.

"The men who instigated and pushed the scheme can now take an account of stock with a view of determining whether it has resulted in gain or loss to them. For myself, I shall go about my work in Washington, intent upon carefully looking after the interests of the people of New Hampshire, irrespective of party, as I have endeavored to do heretofore, and as my record amply attests. Of course I am gratified at the outcome and am glad to know that the finding was made, by a jury one-half of whom were Democrats. That proves conclusively that the evidence was overwhelmingly in my favor, notwithstanding the witnesses were called by the complainants. The affair has given the newspapers a chance to display scare headlines for fourteen months and it will now be relegated to the long list of unsuccessful political conspiracies of which the history of our country furnishes many instructive examples. I have never intentionally harmed any of the men who are engaged in this persecution, have no grievance with anyone and am content to leave the matter to the judgment, integrity and good sense of the people of the state."

## TRIED TO KILL HIS WIFE.

Julius Jacobs Attempts Murder and Kills Himself.

New York, Jan. 1. Julius Jacobs, 38 years of age, a driver living with his wife and seven children, ranging from three to fifteen years of age, made an ineffectual attempt to kill his wife today in his apartments and afterwards put a bullet through his right temple. He died instantly.

After having spent the night in drinking, Jacobs returned home very much intoxicated. He walked up to his wife and, putting a revolver against her head asked:

"Ain't you sorry you did it?"

"No" replied his wife, "it was necessary, Julius."

Jacobs referred to his wife's instrumentality in sending him to Blackwell's Island for two months for abusiveness. A son and a daughter grasped his arm as Jacobs fired two shots at his wife. The bullets went wide of their mark. Then Jacobs placed the muzzle of the revolver against his temple and fired. He fell to the floor dead.

DICK O'BRIEN DEFEATED.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 1. At the Olympic A. C. tonight before 2,000 spectators Al Weinig of Buffalo defeated Dick O'Brien of [illegible]

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hard left to the face which the Kid countered. Then he sent to the throat and tried to cross with his right but the Kid ducked and then McCoy landed left and right on the jaw. Peter wavered and McCoy sent another right which fell a bit short and then dropping his left to the body tried a right swing and as Peter side stepped the Kid met him with a full swinging left which landed on the point of the jaw and the Irishman went down resting on his elbow and he was counted out in this position. It was a terrific blow and landing right on the mark an ox could scarcely have withstood its force. It was the cleanest knockout ever seen in a ring fight and while some people were unkind enough to say that Maher could have gotten up again, these who were nearest to the fighters and saw the force of the blow were of the opinion that Sullivan in his palmiest days could not have withstood it.

Probably in the history of ring fighting in this vicinity there has never been such a quick change in the betting as that which occurred during the two hours preceding the fight. For some days past Maher was the favorite, as good as 100 to 60 being bet on his chances. One hundred to seventy on Maher was the ruling price when the club doors opened this afternoon and among the different sporting centers this price was maintained until within an hour of the beginning of the contest. Then a peculiar condition of affairs occurred and for no apparent reason Maher stock was beared while the Kid was bulled and when the men got into the ring their positions in the betting market were reversed with the Kid the favorite.

Round 1.—Men shook hands at 5.17. Kid immediately took offensive, Peter breaking ground. Kid feinted with left. Kid then sent left hook to jaw, flooring Maher. Maher up in two seconds. Kid tried cross but missed. Maher tried left swing for the head, but the Kid sidestepped neatly. Maher again tried left, but Kid again sidestepped. McCoy sent left to body and Peter in an attempt to return the blow slipped and fell, but regained his feet quickly. They came to a clinch. Maher forced the Kid to ropes, where he put right on Kid's body. Kid broke away nicely and after little sparring put a left to Maher's stomach.

Round 2.—Both came up laughing, each sparring for an opening. McCoy feinted with left. Peter made vicious right and left swings, neither landing, and at close quarters Kid put a right and left to body. When they broke away Kid put left to jaw. Then they mixed it up, Maher landing right and left to the body. In breakaway Maher put left to body. The Kid measures his man and sent right to jaw, putting Maher to his hands and knees. Maher up in four seconds and rushed madly at McCoy, getting to body, while McCoy jabbed left three times to face. Maher forced Kid to the ropes and Kid slipped to the floor. As soon as he got up he sent left to Maher's face, sending his head back. Kid sent two lefts to jaw of Maher, following with right over, which turned Maher's head sideways as gong sounded.

Round 3.—McCoy came up more confident than ever, while Peter wore an anxious look but was very determined. The Kid feinted without a blow being struck. Maher forced Kid to the ropes, but Kid hooked left to jaw and escaped a return. Twice the Kid jabbed left to Maher's stomach and Peter became more wary. They clinched, each landing rights to ribs. The Kid sent two left hooks to jaw which sent Maher back, and followed with another which knocked the big fellow three yards back. McCoy blocked right return. They came to a clinch, but in the break Kid sent straight right to face and belly. Maher tried to mix it up, and forced the Kid to the ropes, but the Kid fought back and got back to the center of the ring, where he got in a straight left to the face just as the bell sounded.

Round 4.—McCoy was quicker on his feet. Both sparred carefully with Maher forcing. Kid tried left, landing lightly on the wind. Maher forced McCoy to a neutral corner and landed left on face, jarring McCoy.

McCoy stepped to left and Peter struck out with left but fell short. In a mixup Peter got right to head and McCoy was cautioned for holding. McCoy hooked left to face and Peter followed with left on body. Maher jabs left straight in the face at close quarters without a return. McCoy broke ground repeatedly, Peter chasing him. Kid sent left to face, but Peter hooked two lefts to head and then used his left twice more to Kid's head, while McCoy jabbed left to wind. They came to a clinch in which Peter was cautioned for holding, but at the same time he sent left hook to McCoy's face. This was Maher's round.

Round 5.—Peter forced the pace. Kid tapped with left lightly to the face, shifting to the left side, which is unusual in McCoy's ring tactics. Both landed lefts to head. Then Peter sent another left to face, Kid countering. Peter shot left to throat and tried to cross with right but missed. Maher led. McCoy landed two hard lefts on the jaw. McCoy crossed right over to the point of the jaw. Peter forced to clinch. McCoy drops Maher with left swing. Maher was counted out.

Time of round 2 minutes 22 seconds.

## OLDTOWN NEWS.

Mr. A. B. Peckham, representing the J. M. Arnold Shoe Co., of Bangor, was in the city on business Monday.

Mr. Charles Marsh, of the Charles Hayward Co., was in the city Monday on business.

Mrs. F. O. Gould and daughter Frances leave Tuesday for Colorado Springs for the winter.

There will be a regular meeting of the city council tonight.

Mr. T. A. Terrill, who has been at home for two weeks, left Monday for the scene of his lumbering operations [illegible]

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Monday, after spending a week with his family.

On Monday one drunk was sentenced to 90 days in jail by Judge Whiting.

Owing to the fact that the Maine festival of 1900 is assured, it is earnestly desired that all members of the Old Town festival chorus be present at the next meeting which occurs Monday night of next week. Why not manifest the old-time enthusiasm?

Mrs. H. M. Burnham who has been ill for a few days was able to be out again Monday.

Hugo Clark, Esq., of Bangor, was in the city Monday on business.

The friends of Miss Josephine Crocker will be pained to learn that she is quite ill at her home.

Miss Laura Boyle has returned from Bangor, where she has been visiting friends the past week.

A large number attended the midnight Mass at the Catholic church Sunday night, and witnessed the coming in of the new year.

The first of a course of assemblies which was to have occurred last Saturday night in Unity Hall, has been postponed to next Saturday evening.

Mr. Herbert Clay, clerk at Cousins Hotel, passed Sunday with his parents in Lincoln.

Mr. Alfred Folsom went to Olamon Monday on a short visit.

A large crowd from here attended the clerks ball at Orono Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barton, of Bradley, was to Exeter Monday to attend the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barker of that town.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Leville, of Bangor, passed Sunday in this city.

Mr. Morris Spruce and Miss Hattie Oliver, of Bradley, were married Monday night.

The XX Club will meet with the Misses Pratt, on Monday evening.

## PATTEN NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: Charles A. Bryan has returned to Pittsfield, Mass.

Howard L. Coburn has gone to Boston for a short visit.

Hon. and Mrs. V. P. Gardner have been in Moro for several days.

Rev. G. Y. Hamilton of the Methodist church is confined to his house by illness. There were no preaching services at the Methodist church Sunday.

The students of the academy have started up the lyceum again. The meetings are to be held fortnightly on Thursday evenings. The town's people are cordially invited to attend the meetings.

Mrs. H. P. Gardner entertained a number of her friends Friday evening. A most delightful evening was spent. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Arnold, Frank E. Webster and Mrs. Alma Kellogg, and Miss Ivale Woodbury.

The class parts and essays for the class of 1900, Patten Academy, have been assigned as follows: Valedictory, Estelle Miles; Salutatory, Benjamin Woodbury; opening address, Fred Shean; class history, Edna Merrill; oration, Charles Muncy; class poem, Marcia Weeks; prophecy, Jessie Rowe; closing address, Fred Bailey; essays, Hallett Elliott, Mabel Mitchell, Delia Drew, Gertha Clark.

Miss Lizzie Smith of the intermediate school and Miss Edith Allen of the primary school spent the holidays with Miss Smith's brother, at his camp at Norcross. They returned Monday noon.

A grand ball was given in Patten House hall, Monday night.

The Fiske jubilee singers are to be in town Jan. 13th. It will be their first appearance in this town.

Miss Minerva True of Sherman Mills, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. T. Coburn.

Miss Mamie Leslie has gone to Bangor to take care of her brother, Raymond, who is ill of typhoid fever.

Charles Carpenter and Fred Mitchell will start with their teams for Chamberlain this week.

Herbert Brown will carry supplies for Charles Dudley this winter.

Ilber Leslie and Will Curran have taken the contract to haul provisions for James McNulty.

It has been reported that the Butterfield shovel-handle factory will be ready to begin work in a few days.

WILL BE SENT TO YARMOUTH.

Boston, Jan. 1. The body of Hon. Loren E. Baker, late president of the Yarmouth Steamship Co., will be sent to Yarmouth tomorrow on the steamer Boston. Mr. Baker was found dead in his berth in a sleeping car on the "Owl" train from New York when it arrived in Boston yesterday.

GARDINER MAN ASSIGNS.

Gardiner, Me., Jan. 1. Geo. L. Woodworth, of the Evans Hotel, has filed his petition in involuntary bankruptcy. Liabilities, about $6000. No assets.

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## Coming Campaign.

The New York Evening Post has a long editorial on the prospects of the next campaign in which the writer undertakes to prove that it is by no means certain that the Republicans have a "cinch"[illegible] [illegible]

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## British Losses.

The Army and Navy Journal says: [illegible]

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Before troops can consider that they have been defeated in a stand-up fight, they should, on statistical average, lose:

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[illegible] of "gloom in London" and "fearful scenes" at the War Office. Why these reports from generals of the century and "fire-eating" [illegible] no troops could withstand it?" Ability in maneuvering or fighting is not measured by casualties, but discipline, steadiness and soldierly bearing are largely so; and as yet there has been nothing in South Africa worthy the name of heavy fighting by an army as a whole. The total losses, excluding missing, have been small compared with what our volunteers cheerfully stood during the campaigning months for four long years, and the good folk at home never ceased to pour out men and money.

Now we all know the Briton. He is of the same blood as we are; he is capable of and will do the same work. No more gallant man lives than the British officer—he is, indeed, unwisely rash, as a seasoned soldier should not be. But it would furnish a rather mawkish quart d'heure in the light of recent events, for Gen. Wolseley to assemble some of his comments on the American volunteer and then to compare his volunteers' ability to face death in conflict with that of his own best regulars.

The London Times gives this interesting comparison between the losses sustained at Modder River and those in battles in former campaigns in which British troops have been engaged. It will be noted that in spite of the increased precision of small arms the percentage of casualties at Modder River is considerably less than at any other battle given in the list.

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Lord Methuen's loss in officers was: Killed, 4; wounded, 19; total, 23. One battalion of British infantry entered the action at Salamanca with 27 officers and 420 rank, at 4.30; it had 24 officers and 342 rank and file killed and wounded.

## MONSON NEWS.

**Accident to W. R. Thomas—An Interesting Debate—Mrs. R. T. Thomas Suffers a Shock—Notes**

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Monson, Me., Jan. 1. W. R. Thomas met with a painful accident last Tuesday at the planing mill. He was at work at the buzz planer and in some way caught his right hand in the machine, taking off the thumb and three fingers at the first joint. Dr. Emerson dressed the wound.

Last Wednesday evening at the academy the question for debate was "Resolved, that the school year should be 32 weeks instead of 30." On the affirmative were Harry Pullen and Miss Nellie Wilkins, and on the negative Ray Jones and Miss Edith Sears. The arguments were good on both sides and it was finally decided that the school year was not long enough and that it should be at least 36 weeks. Quite a number of visitors were present.

John Pritchard is in Brownville this week looking for work.

Mr. S. A. Swanton of Andover, Mass., a former resident of this town, was here last week visiting relatives and friends.

John Sanden went to Greenwood, B. C., last Friday.

F. D. Barrows of Foxcroft was in town on business last Friday.

The many friends of Mrs. R. T. Thomas will be pained to learn that she had a shock last Saturday night, and that her right side is completely paralyzed. She had been left alone for the evening by her husband and daughter, and when they returned after being absent about two hours they found her on the floor helpless and unable to speak. Dr. Emerson, who attended her, thinks she may rally.

The members of the Congregationalist church held their annual roll call Saturday evening at the church.

A party consisting of W. L. Estabrook and wife, J. W. Tarr and wife, F. H. Sherburne and wife, F. J. Wilkins and wife and Mrs. G. M. Merrill started Monday morning for Annis and Philbrook's camp in Elliottville, where they took dinner and returned home in the afternoon.

The Monson dramatic company, under the auspices of the S. of V., were at Greenville Saturday night and played "Joe Ruggles" to a small audience.

## THE LAWYER'S CONFUSING CASE.

(From Collier's Weekly.)

Young Symple was at a club dinner the other evening, and tried to make an impression on a well known lawyer who sat next to him. But the man of law did not appreciate the attention of his neighbor.

"I suppose you gentlemen have some strange cases to deal with at times?" observed Symple.

"Yes," answered the lawyer.

"Some very puzzling cases," said the young man, trying again; "cases that almost confuse you at [illegible]"

"Just so," said the legal gentleman, [illegible]

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## THE FASHIONS.

**Notes of Feminine Apparel of Interest to the Women.**

Pale pink coral ornaments set with diamonds are among the novelties in expensive jewelry set forth for the winter trade.

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The new Ellen Terry tea-gown suggests both comfort, luxury and quaint picturesqueness. It is made of various rich or dainty fabrics, including white cashmere, dotted and striped in pink, cherry red, and other colors; gray drap d'ete with old-rose satin trimmings, pale blue Henrietta cloth or camel's hair bordered with gray swan's down, and a number of less expensive French-made styles in plain and fancy flannel and eiderdown-lined crepon. This last named article is forty-six inches wide, and is shown at the importing houses in white, gray, and ecru. It is much heavier than the crepe-finished satin of the same width.

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The rough diagonal and cheviots for serviceable tailor-gowns look heavy, but they are woven so delicately and made of such fine pure wool as to weigh but little more than a firm drap d'ete. Some of the new expensive tailor cloths are silk-striped, and the French Zibelines fine-striped, the dark surface decked with bits of rich color. Oriental cords or wool reps, as they are called by the modiste, are figured with effective designs in tricolor. These are novel and are used for portions of handsome costumes for special wear and for fur-trimmed redingotes and princesse frocks.

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Smart-looking for the street costumes of green or blue ladies' cloth, made with a princesse effect in front, to which are added short boleros of the cloth, which reach but a few inches below the bust, and are finished with notched revers that turn back so far that they cover the shoulders and on the fronts give the effect of one bolero put on above the other. This effect is emphasized by the binding of heavy silk braid on the edges of the jacket and its revers, and also by the rich applique decorations on silk, satin or cloth, the same effective garniture finishing the circular flounce at the bottom of the gown.

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Pointed, deeply scalloped, and graduated silk fringes were among the imported novelties in dress trimmings shown to holiday shoppers. They are in various widths and colors, from the Tom Thumb variety to styles half a yard deep and finished with very wide netted tops. These curved trimmings show also jet, chenille, and crimped [illegible] ribbon an eighth of an inch wide, intermixed with the silk fringes of the more elaborate variety.

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The novelties offered in elegant evening wraps this season are all more or less costly and picturesque, and the long, curving outlines which distinguish many of the trimmed skirts of gowns [illegible] [illegible] and redingotes. The collars are very high and striking in effect, and the wide revers of fur [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], form [illegible] [illegible] points below the waist line. The handsome cloth capes for the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The skating costume for winter has [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

This season the most stylish and expensive of the black or white lace collarettes, Tudor berthas, Marie Antoinette fichus, and deeply pointed Vandyke capes are finished with long scarf ends that fall low on the dress skirt, even after they are tied or knotted. Some of the fancy designs have a flounce at the ends made of accordion-plaited chiffon about half a yard deep, and others have delicate applique designs in Renaissance or old Normandy point, laid directly upon the silk muslin crepe lisse, or other textile composing the scarfs. A handsome theatre cape, reaching half way to the waist, shown among exclusive holiday treasures at a noted importing house is made of accordion-plaited taffeta silk. In cream white. The yoke portion to which the plaiting is applied is lined with pale violet satin. Straight down the front from the throat fall scarf-ends of the taffeta, also satin lined, and on the outside are arranged with artistic grace long trailing sprays of shaded velvet pansies and foliage, and one or two purple and violet velvet orchids, life size. A large full-neck ruche in white and violet completes this dainty and novel French creation.

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Another charming gown worn at a New Year's eve reception is of turquoise blue mousseline de soie, falling in accordion plaits from the top of the low bodice, but draped into graceful curves at the waist and just below the hips. Black velvet ribbon garlands are profusely used but the feature of the toilet is the draped scarf of Honiton applique on net, which starts from the left shoulder and crosses the bodice under a velvet girdle, falling in long ends to the skirt hem. It is sleeveless, the mere draperies of mousseline and [illegible]

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The regular season for balls, dances, [illegible] dinners, receptions [illegible] [illegible]

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[illegible] them, when formerly the girl wore her skirts "dancing length" and each fashionable adopts all the pretty yoke guimpe, jacket, and vest effects; the mother often wearing a short, trim, closely fitted walking jacket, the daughter a shapeless three-quarter sack coat or a stately enveloping Newmarket which reaches from neck to skirt-hem. During other seasons velvet brocades and silk and satin matelasses were worn exclusively by dowagers and somewhat younger matrons, while for the youthful wearers were reserved the tulles, India muslins, chiffons, Liberty silks, gauzes, veilings, and similar light airy textiles. Just now, however, this disposal of fabrics, if not wholly reversed, is at least very much changed. At any fashionable assemblage one may see the mother's gown an artistic and beautiful melange of lace, chiffon, and narrow fur bands over a foundation of mauve, old rose, primrose yellow or other tint of silk, while the youthful daughter may appear in a toilet perhaps of black or ruby velvet, semi-decollete and trimmed with costly lace appliques, with rose-wreath sleeves, and often more jewels than many of the dowagers present.

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There is a new point to be chronicled—the postilion backs on some of the new waists and Etons of cloth, silk, or velvet. This is a style that is more becoming to many women than any sort of round waist however smartly made, and if the ends are not exaggerated in length, is particularly good for plain tailor costumes of cloth, tweed, or cheviot.

## CALAIS NEWS.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Calais, Dec. 30. Invitations are out for a New Year's ball to be given by George W. Fisher, proprietor of the Gardner Hotel, Pembroke. There will be a supper in the hotel before the dance. Mr. Fisher was at one time manager of the American House in this city, and his many friends here have not been forgotten in this occasion.

John Brooks, who is studying medicine in Montreal, passed through here Saturday, on his way back to that city to resume his work after spending the holidays at his home in Eastport.

Col. J. N. Greene, of Bangor, a veteran railroad man and contractor, is in town, at the Border City.

The following people are staying at the various Calais hostelries: T. H. Raley, North Adams, Mass.; W. H. Roberts, Bangor; I. Z. Orchard, Dayton, O.; C. H. Mason, Eastport; N. H. McNaughton, Lubec; A. K. Ames, Machias; G. L. Coffin, Bangor; I. R. Sprague, Princeton; W. B. Bailey, Portland; F. E. Davis, Bangor; S. Ackley, East Machias; C. F. Tarbox, G. B. Tarbox, Grand Lake Stream; J. E. Brooks, Montreal; J. W. Buck, Boston; J. N. Greene, Bangor; C. T. Williamson, Portland; H. C. Edgecomb; R. T. Emery, New York; F. H. Johnson, Boston; S. W. Bolwer, Philadelphia; W. P. Howard, St. John, N. B.; C. E. Bayer; H. A. Whitney, Bangor; S. A. Galway, Boston; H. A. Wellington, Houlton; Herbert Crockett, St. John.

## WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

Corrected Semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association.

**STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.**

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds and a bushel of Turk's Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

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| BUCKWHEAT FLOUR | 4c |
| SALT— | |
| Bangor, ground, in boxes, per box | 5c |
| Big lots butter salt in 14lb bags per bag | 25c |
| In 14 lb bags | 25c |
| Liverpool, per bush | 30c |
| Turk's Island | 30c |
| HERRING— | |
| Bloaters, scaled, in boxes, per box | 25c |
| RAISINS— | |
| Loose Muscatels, per lb. | 10@12c |
| London layers | 15@20c |
| Sultana | 10@15c |
| CURRANTS— | |
| English, per lb. | 10@12c |
| KEROSENE OIL— | |
| 150 test, per gallon | 15c |
| VINEGAR— | |
| Pure cider per gallon | 25c |
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| OATS— | [illegible] |
| FLOUR— | |
| Best St. Louis | [illegible] |
| Best Spring Wheat | [illegible] |
| CORN— | [illegible] |
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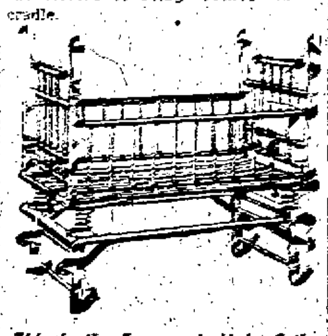
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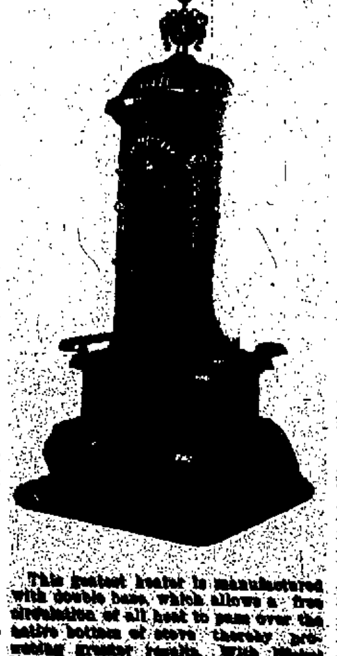
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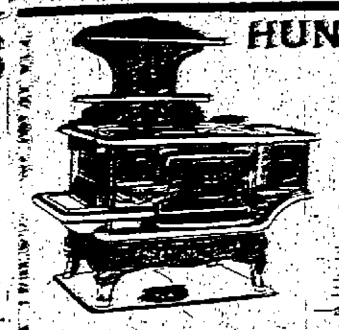
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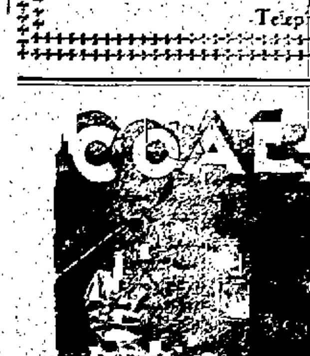
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**SPLENDID PLUCK IS SHOWN.**

LIEUT. TURNER'S MEN RESCUED AND BOERS LOST 30 MEN.

Final Details of New Battleships Have Been Agreed Upon.

London, Jan. 1. Owing to lack of news from important points interest in the war centers on the comparatively unimportant skirmishing near Dordrecht. Capt. Montmorency's sortie with a patrol of 120 men of the 21st Lancers and his retreat Dec. 30, were followed up the next day by a successful British engagement and the rescue of a small party supposed to be men Capt. Montmorency left behind him.

Under Capt. Goldsworthy, a force of 310 men with four guns accompanied by Capt. Montmorency's scouts, sallied out of Dordrecht during the morning of Dec. 31, to relieve Lieut. Turner and 17 men left over night at Labaschange Nek. The Boers were driven back and Lieut. Turner's party was rescued. Eight Boers and 13 horses are known to have been killed.

The Times publishes a despatch from Sterkstroom dated Dec. 31, which says:

"Capt. Montmorency's scouts were cut off owing to their refusal to leave a wounded officer, Lieut. Warren of Brabant's horse. These men under Lieuts. Milford and Turner of the Frontier mounted rifles defended themselves most gallantly against the repeated attacks of some 800 Boers. The enemy resorted to "Sniping" during the night, but were repulsed with losses.

"At 5.15 this morning Capt. Goldsworthy with the Cape Mounted rifles at river and the enemy immediately fled to the hills. Turner's party whose horses had nearly all been killed were rescued. They displayed splendid pluck and the brilliant manner in which Capt. Goldsworthy effected their relief on his own responsibility is deserving of the highest praise. Our loss was two men wounded. The Boers lost about 30 men, including eight men killed."

Another account says: "The success of this little party will arrest the progress of the enemy's recruiting in that vicinity."

A despatch from Modder river says: "Dec. 31 the naval guns planted a few excellent shells without reply. The enemy's position on the left is apparently considerably weakened."

But neither from the Modder river nor from Frere comes any news tending to show an impending change in the existing impasse, nor confirming the impression created by Sunday's despatches that Gen. Buller mediated an immediate forward movement.

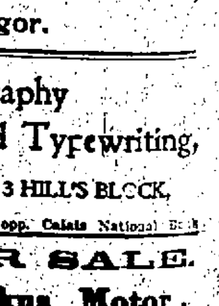
Count Gleichen of the Grenadier Guards and a distant relative of Queen Victoria, who was wounded in the battle of Modder river, has recovered from his wound and has left Cape Town for the front.

A Cape Town despatch, dated Dec. 1, published in the Times says: "For the moment there is a general lull in active military operations pending the arrival of Gen. Roberts. It is generally hoped that he will, for some time at least, direct the operations from here. The absence of Gen. Buller, however unavoidable, has left the colony without that central organization and vigorous control at headquarters essential to the conduct of a campaign along so fast a frontier."

GEN. FRENCH'S VICTORY.

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Details of New Battleships Have Been Agreed Upon.

...ndon, Jan. 1. Owing to lack of ... from important points interest in ...war centers on the comparatively ...portant skirmishing near Dor... ...t. Capt. Montmorency's sortie ...a patrol of 120 men of the 21st ...rs and his retreat Dec. 30, were ...ed up the next day by a success... ...itish engagement and the rescue ...small party supposed to be men ...Montmorency left behind him. ...er Capt. Goldsworthy, a force of ...en with four guns accompanied ...pt. Montmorency's scouts, sallied ... Dordrecht during the morning ... 31, to relieve Lieut. Turner and ...m left over night at Labaschangs ... The Boers were driven back and ... Turner's party was rescued. ...t Boers and 13 horses are known ...ave been killed.

...e Times publishes a despatch from ...kstroom dated Dec. 31, which says: ...Capt. Montmorency's scouts were ...off owing to their refusal to leave ...ounded officer, Lieut. Warren, of ...bent's horse. These men under ...ts. Milford and Turner of the ...ntier mounted rifles defended them... ...es most gallantly against the re... ...ed attacks of some 800 Boers. The ...y resorted to "Snipping" during ...night but were repulsed with ...s.

...t 5.15 this morning Capt. Golds... ...hy with the Cape Mounted rifles at ...r and the enemy immediately fled ...he hills. Turner's party whose ...es had nearly all been killed were ...ued. They displayed splendid ...ck and the brilliant manner in which ...t. Goldsworthy effected their relief ... his own responsibility is deserving ... the highest praise. Our loss was ... men wounded. The Boers lost ...ut 30 men, including eight men ...ed."

...nother account says: "The success ... this little party will arrest the ...ogress of the enemy's recruiting in ...at vicinity."

A despatch from Modder river says: "Dec. 31 the naval guns planted a few ...cellent shells without reply. The ...emy's position on the left is appa... ...ntly considerably weakened."

...ut neither from the Modder river ... from Frere comes any news tend... ... to show an impending change in ... existing impasse, nor confirming ... impression created by Sunday's de... ...ches that Gen. Buller mediated an ...mediate forward movement.

...ount Gleichen of the Grenadier ...ards and a distant relative of Queen ...ctoria, who was wounded in the bat... ...of Modder river, has recovered from ... wound and has left Cape Town for ... front.

A Cape Town despatch, dated Dec. ... published in the Times says: "For ... moment there is a general lull in ...ive military operations pending the ...ival of Gen. Roberts. It is gener... ...y hoped that he will, for some time ... least, direct the operations from ...e. The absence of Gen. Buller, how... ...r unavoidable, has left the colony ...hout that central organization and ...orous control at headquarters es... ...ial to the conduct of a campaign ...g so fast a frontier."

GEN. FRENCH'S VICTORY.

...ondon, Jan. 1. A special despatch ...eived here Monday evening says that Gen. French has completely defeated the Boers and has occupied Colesburg.

BOER COMING.

London, Jan. 1. The Boer agents in Europe believe sentiment in the United States has been gradually turning Boerward, until the time is now ripe to develop it into material effect. Under this impression, the Associated Press learns that they are contemplating dispatching a special mission to the United States to influence public opinion, possibly by open meetings and by personally assisting the efforts of those in Congress whom they believe friendly.

Moreover, they consider it advisable to offset what they declare has been a systematic campaign of Mr. John Hays Hammond, the American engineer, who was a member of the Johannesburg reform committee, to influence Washington opinion.

If the plans now under consideration are carried out the mission will include a very prominent Boer agent and a pro-Boer member of the British parliament, who intended to sail this week, but was prevented by what is thought to be a temporary hitch in the arrangements. Their desire is to affiliate themselves with no particular party, but, by influencing political and public opinion, to secure at least an offer of mediation from the United States.

A representative of the Associated Press has made careful inquiries, but failed to find any circumstances to warrant the belief that such an offer, however made, would receive the slightest consideration.

MUST BE CHANGED.

London, Jan. 1. J. B. Robinson, the South African millionaire, who is credited with knowing the Boer methods and resources thoroughly, said to a correspondent:

"Our whole system of fighting must be altered. The tens of thousands of infantry such as are now going to the front are of little service. Their magnificent courage is thrown away.

"They are not what we call crack shots. They lack mobility. These are two fatal faults when you have to face sharpshooters intrenched in a strong position.

"What is wanted is a strong force of irregular horsemen, raised at the Cape, from the same classes as the Boers who are now fighting us.

"Someone from the Cape told me the other day that this couldn't be done because there is a scarcity of saddles at the Cape. The men I mean would bring their own saddles and horses, too. They are trained shots and know every inch of the country."

SECRET TREATY.

Berlin, Jan. 1. The revelations of the Lokal Anzeiger, if they were intended as a balloon d'essar, have fulfilled their purpose and loosened the tongue of the government. The semi-official Hamburger Correspondent communicates four of the main points of the secret treaty:

Firstly—It is only a preliminary treaty, and comes into effect in case Portugal wishes to improve her finances by disposing of her colonial possessions.

For this possible case, the date of which cannot, however, be at present fixed, England and Germany have entered into a treaty so that they may, without any friction between them, come to an understanding with Portugal.

Secondly—The preliminary treaty only refers to Africa. Originally it only referred to East Africa, but it was later extended to West Africa.

All arrangements such as might tie the hands of Germany vis-a-vis England in Egypt, Asia Minor or China, have been excluded.

Thirdly—Germany receives from Portugal, as a guarantee and security for financial aid, the Mozambique territory to the Shire and Zambesi rivers, and in West Africa the Mossamedes territory, lying to the north of German Southwest Africa, together with Walfisch bay and Tiger island.

England has undoubtedly the right of pre-emption over Delagoa bay.

Fourthly—The whole treaty, before it was concluded, was submitted confidentially to the St. Petersburg government, and Russia found that it did not affect her interests in the slightest degree.

Schlesische Zeitung confirms the statements of the Hamburger Correspondent and furnishes some additional details.

The mouth of the Zambesi river, it states, will be entirely in English territory, the German sphere finishing somewhat more to the north.

In the same way the northern part of the Mossamedes territory, including the south bank of the mouth of the Congo, will also be given to England.

These colonies will not be sold to the powers in question, but simply be leased. The finances of Portugal, with the assistance of leading English and German capitalists, will be thoroughly reorganized.

NEW BATTLESHIPS.

Washington, Jan. 1. Final details of the new battleships of the New Jersey class were agreed upon by the naval board of construction today. The board adopted the battery and armor plans proposed by Rear Admiral O'Neil, and the new vessels will be the most formidable of their type in the world. They will be sheathed and coppered, and will be fitted as flagships. The superimposed turrets adopted for the battleships Kearsarge and Kentucky have been retained.

The ships will have these characteristics: Displacement, 15,500 tons; speed, not less than 19 knots; battery, four 12-inch guns, four 8-inch guns, 12 6-inch guns, 16 14-pounders, 12 ... [illegible] ship; a heavy protective deck and upper and lower casement armor 6 x inches thick. The total weight of armor, including bolts and nuts, will be 2727 tons. For further protection the vessels will be provided with cellulose belts.

These vessels will differ from those built or under construction in that they will have high freeboard extending over their entire length, the stern being as high as the bow. This will give the crew additional space and permit additional men, if necessary, to be added to the ships' complements.

Rear Admiral Hichborn has been directed to prepare the detail plans for the battleships. The department is ready to proceed with the work of advertising for bids, but this has been delayed by the failure of Congress to increase the limit of cost under which Krupp armor can be purchased for the ships.

NEW FOUNDLAND FISHERIES.

London, Jan. 1. The second edition of the Times publishes a despatch from St. Johns, N. F., dated Dec. 31, saying:

"All the political parties agree that a renewal of the modus vivendi for another year is a measure which will pass unanimously both houses about April 15. All the colonists are united in a desire to assist the empire by every possible means."

MODUS VIVENDI.

Bay of Islands, N. F. Jan. 1. The modus vivendi between Great Britain and France relative to the fisheries of the treaty coast was agreed to by France and England without the knowledge or consent of the legislature of New Foundland.

ADVANCE IN WAGES.

Boston, Jan. 1. A happy New Year in reality fell to the lot of nearly every person employed in the great woolen industry of New England Monday, when a general advance in wages went into effect. The increase takes place in a number of the mills owned and operated by the American Woolen Co., which are situated in six of the eastern States. All of the large companies independent of the combine have taken similar action and there are few small independent concerns in New England that have not given their employes a rise in pay. It is estimated that the advance will directly affect 40,000 hands and indirectly nearly 200,000 people.

The general improvement was precipitated by the American Woolen Co. early in December, the directors of which decided to raise wages ten per cent. after a general advance went into effect in the cotton mills. There are no figures available by which it can be accurately stated just how much the advance will total, but it is estimated that it will mean an addition of from $30,000 to $35,000 per week to the woolen operatives in New England. It is expected that after Monday wages in the industry will be as high as in the busy times prior to the great depression which began early in 1893.

Among the mills which put the advance into effect this morning are the following:

Wauskuck, Geneva, National and Providence, Riverside and Weybosset Valley, worsted, Providence, R. R.; Centerdale, Stillwater, R. I.; Kent Co., Centerville, R. I.; Lippitt mills, Woonsocket, R. I.; Farwell worsted mills, Pawtucket, R. I.; Manton mills, Manton, R. I.; Inmen mills, Harrisville, R. I.; Sheffield mills, Pascoag, R. I.; Milner mills, Moosup, Conn.; Ripowan mills, North Minnus, Conn.; Waverly mills, Robert Dobson & Co., Riverside Co., Pittsfield, Me.; Newyechawanick mills, South Berwick, Me.; Vassalboro mills, Vassalboro, Me.; Anderson mills, Skowhegan, Me.; Brown Co., Dover, Me.; Sawyer mills, Dover, N. H.; Baltic mills, Enfield, N. H.; Lebanon Co., Lebanon, N. H.; Washingon mills, Lawrence, Mass.; Fitchburg Co., Beoll mills Fitchburg, Mass.; Asabet mills, Mayiard, Mass.; Faulkner mills, Dracut, Mass.; Collins mills, Collinsville, Mass.; Puritan, Plymouth, Mass.; Chase mills, Webster, Mass.; Ray mills, Franklin, Mass.; Suranac mills, Blackstone, Mass.; Leominster Co., Leominster, Mass.; Talbot mills, North Billerica, Mass.; Fulton mills, Fulton, N. Y.

An increase of wages also went into effect at a number of yarn mills.

CONDENSED NEWS.

At Berlin, Jan. 1, Emperor William at the New Year's parade Monday addressed the officers of the garrison as follows:

"The first day of the new century sees our army, in other words our people, in arms, gathered around their standards, kneeling before the Lord of Hosts, and verily, if any one has special reason this day for bowing down before God it is our army. A glance at our standard suffices as an explanation, for they are the embodiment of our history."

The day broke dark, cold and foggy, with a drizzling rain; but the great ceremony of awakening the city was nevertheless performed successfully by the military bands and drum and fire corps of the whole garrison, marching at the quickstep from the castle to the Brandenburg gate and back, rousing the population with deafening echoes. The Emperor and Empress, as usual, were early about. The significant act of rededicating the flags of the Prussian army, which occurred in the forenoon, was a most solemn ceremony. His Majesty, with the four eldest princes, walked briskly over from the castle to Rheumeshalle, "Hall of Glories," in whose interior court, in the presence of Germany's Emperor and princes, the act took place. The flags were piled up before an altar specially erected, where the Protestant and Catholic army chaplains performed the dedicatory rites. The Emperor spoke kindly to Field Marshal Blumenthal, 86 years old, who was present.

The Empress drove up in a coach and six with the two youngest princes, Oscar and Joachim, and the little princesses, all of them witnessing the scene below from a window overlooking the court.

The sign and countersign given out by the Emperor was Koenigsberg-Berlin, symbolically typifying Prussia's rise during the century.

The decree awarding each flag a new ornament clasp and ribbon went into effect forthwith, each regiment marching with its flags thus decorated. A similar decree was published today by the prince regent of Munich and other German rulers.

It was noticed that during the rededication the Emperor addressed kindly words to Prince Frederick Leopold, who is here for a few days from his banishment in Cassel.

The Emperor's address during the exercises was considered another deeply significant expression of His Majesty's firm intention to maintain the empire in its integrity. The passage affirming the Emperor's will to preserve Germany's unity and indivisibility and where he said he would continue in spite of all hindrances to make the navy as powerful as the army, made the deepest impression and are this evening commented upon liberally in diplomatic circles.

His Majesty delivered his address in a high-pitched, resonant, strident voice.

During the afternoon hours the Emperor called upon the ministers and princes. The United States ambassador, Mr. A. J. White, and Mrs. White, being out calling themselves, the Emperor failed to meet them personally at their residence on Senn-strasse.

The American colony kept the day orthodoxly. Pastor Dichie held a reception and Consul General Mason and Mrs. Mason and Mrs. Robins did the same. The rest of the Americans, together with all Berlin, were out calling all day.

Mr. White informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that the Emperor, at the Cercle, addressed him with particular kindness and at considerable length. His Majesty expressed great satisfaction that relations with the United States during the year 1899 were so greatly improved, and that so many obstacles to a better understanding between the two nations had been removed. He said that he, with the rest of Germany, had been deeply and appreciatively touched at various passages in the President's message.

The new United States consul at Hanover, Mr. J. E. White, has arrived here and Special Treasury Agent Partello has returned home.

At Santiago de Cuba the Ward line steamer Saratoga, after having been aground ten days was pulled off by the Santiago and two tugs. All her cargo and coal were removed and the channel around the propeller was dredged.

At 12 o'clock midnight the Portland and Rochester railroad ceased to exist. A formal change of shares will be effected at a stockholders' meeting which will be held at the Old Colony Trust Co.'s office in Boston Jan. 14. To all intents and purposes, however, what was the Portland and Rochester railroad is now the Portland and Worcester division of the Boston and Maine. It is stated officially in this city that it is the purpose of the management to make as few changes as consistent with the proper operation of the road. The station in Portland and offices will be maintained. Superintendent H. W. Davis becomes assistant superintendent and will have charge as formerly.

The Chicago Times-Herald says: In a secret conference lasting for seven hours a majority of the American base ball league magnates decided to declare war on the National league and break the national agreement which has been in force since February, 1896. After making up their minds to cut away from the parent organization those present at the conference decided to follow this movement by carrying the war into the heart of the National league. As a consequence, unless the National league magnates can find means to placate the belligerent's western organization, Chicago and St. Louis in the west and Boston and Philadelphia in the east will be invaded next spring. The question of next season's circuit will of course have to come before a full meeting of the American league, but those who met Sunday drew up the following circuit for the American league for the season of 1900: Chicago, St. Louis, Milwaukee and Detroit in the west, Boston, Philadelphia, ... New York or Baltimore ... [illegible]

plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to a charge of murder and was sentenced to be executed on March 18. The crime for which Edward Ray Snow was sentenced was committed on Sept. 13, 1898. The body of James F. Whittemore, a driver of a baker wagon, was found on the old town house road at a point midway between South Yarmouth and Yarmouth, the following morning. He had been shot through the head. The team which Whittemore had been driving was not found for some time afterward, when it was located on a street in the town of Yarmouth. Whittemore, who was only 17 years of age, had a considerable sum of money with him, the proceeds of his collections. None of this was found upon the body. There was a bullet hole over the right eye and another through the temple. It was learned after the body was found that Edwin Ray was the last person who was seen with Whittemore when he was arrested.

At Los Angeles, Cal., two slight earthquake shocks were felt Sunday. No damage was done so far as is known. The shocks were felt at San Bernardino and other points south and east, including San Diego.

Thomas Norton Hart was inaugurated mayor of Boston at City Hall Monday.

The steamer Tordenkjold (Nor.) Thomassen, from Progresso with hemp, ran ashore at Jones Inlet at 4 A. M. Monday during a thick southwester and came out without a scratch, apparently without damage, and proceeded to New York.

The Berlin Vorwartz published Monday what purports to be a rescript written by Count Muravieff at the Czar's direction adressed to the governments that took part in the international conference at The Hague. The rescript, it is said, will be issued on the Russian new year, Jan. 13. It renews the expressions of the aspirations of the Czar for the peace of the world and the diminution of armaments and points out that the good work of The Hague conference threatens to crumble away unless the work is prosecuted with zealous devotion. Then it proceeds with an expression of regret that another war has broken out, "the spreading of which over the entire range of civilized humanity has been for the present prevented by the peaceable disposition of disinterested states." The rescript then declares the fact that the nations are now engaged in a monstrous rivalry in building naval armaments.

At Los Angeles, Cal., Orlando Stevens, of Ottumwa, Iowa, has made a new world's record in a competition mile bicycle race. His time was 1.39 1-3. The record was formerly held by Fred Sims, made at Washington, in 2.00 2-5.

PRESQUE ISLE NEWS.

Former Resident Returns—Arrivals And Departures—Notes of Interest About Town.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Presque Isle, Me., Jan. 1. Mr. Simon Friedman, formerly in business at this place but now in Houlton, was in ... Friday.

John Henry, head clerk at S. W. Boone's drug store, is away on his vacation.

The uptrain on the B. & A. due to arrive here at 1.57 P. M., was over two hours late Friday.

Fay Gates, formerly of Presque Isle, who is at present attending Shaw's Business College at Augusta came up Friday afternoon to stop over Sunday and New Years.

The instrumentation of the orchestra which is to play for the firemen's ball New Year's is as follows: C. W. Palmer, 1st violin and prompter; J. Frank Bryson clarinet; Bert Higgins, cornet; Charles W. Higgins trombone; J. P. Davis, flute; Ed. Jordan, double bass; Bernie Thompson, drums and taps; Mrs. C. W. Palmer, accompanist. There will be an order of nineteen dances with a hot turkey supper at intermission, served at the Presque Isle Hotel.

Mr. Carl Whitney returned yesterday from a week's visit with his parents in Lowell, Mass.

Miss Vickery returned Saturday from Bangor where she spent the holiday vacation with her parents.

The large candy cane which has been on exhibition for the past 10 days in W. A. Sloat's show window was awarded Monday morning to Miss Ruby Wright. The person purchasing 25c worth of candy was entitled to one guess of the weight of the cane. Of over 700 guesses Miss Wright came the nearest, guessing within 3½ ounces. The cane weighed 10 pounds, 12¼ oz.

Miss Bertha Brown returned Monday from Limestone where she spent the holidays with her parents.

There were watch-night services at several of the churches which were largely attended.

Mr. George Gosline, formerly of this place but now of Boston, is in town for a few days renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. Gosline is on his first visit to this place since he left it several years ago and will return to Boston in a few days now to try and arrange his business affairs so that he may locate here. He is a man who has traveled somewhat extensively and says that the climate here in Aroostook county cannot be excelled by any other under the sun. When he left Boston he weighed 190 pounds, after staying up her sixty days he gained 30 pounds and now tips the scales to a shade over 220. If that is not a ringing testimonial to the invigorating air of our county then we would like to hear from one that is.

BELFAST NEWS.

Death of Capt. Geo. T. Hanlett—Accident to Emery W. White—Other Matters.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Belfast, Me., Jan. 1. Capt. George T. Hanlett, who lived on High street, ... Saturday noon. He ... [illegible] was apparently in good health. He had been down town Saturday forenoon and had returned home but a short time before his death. He was a companionable man and much liked.

Emery W. White lost a part of three fingers of his left hand in a buzz saw at Mathews' mill Saturday afternoon.

At a meeting of the directors of the Belfast Savings bank Saturday, Wm. H. Quimby was elected treasurer to succeed his father, John H. Quimby, deceased, and W. J. Dorman was made clerk. James H. Howes was chosen as one of the directors.

Timothy chase lodge of Masons holds its annual meeting for the election of officers next Thursday evening.

LIMESTONE NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: We are getting a little taste of winter now, since Christmas.

Christmas was celebrated well by the M. E. Society. A fine concert was given Sunday evening, the 24th; on Monday evening a short program was rendered, after which Santa himself appeared and assisted in distributing the presents from a well laden tree.

At E. B. Temple's, Christmas day, forty-eight partook of goose, turkey, chicken pie and other goodies. This was the largest Christmas party in town.

Mrs. Inez Sloan was called to Ashland Friday before Christmas to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. John Young.

Our town was saddened recently by the sudden death of Mrs. Dr. F. D. White. She was taken with convulsions and died in a few hours. She leaves an infant daughter. Much sympathy is felt for the husband and widowed mother.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kidder, of Houlton, and Mr. D. O. Orcutt and daughter of Ashland, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Boulier on Christmas.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Howard Knight this week on Thursday instead of Wednesday, their regular meeting day.

The newly organized "Y" are an enthusiastic little band. They began their charity work Christmas by giving toys to little ones whom they feared would not be remembered by the regular Santa. They propose having a concert and sale later on to raise funds for good works.

CARMEL NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: Benevolent lodge No. 87, F. & A. M., of Carmel, at their annual meeting Dec. 27, chose the following officers: Albert M. Day, M.; Charles H. Blagden, S. W.; Dexter D. Roberts, J. W.; Gilman N. Miller, treasurer; Camillus K. Johnson, secretary; Angus E. Grover, S. D.; Fred Bradford, J. D. They will be installed Jan. 9, 1900.

Samuel Blagden of Damascus, one of the prosperous farmers and poultrymen ... [illegible] of fancy consisting of French Houdan hens and buff Plymouth Rocks. They come from the celebrated poultry yard of A. L. Millett, of Rowley, Mass.

Peleg Bradford & Sons of Damascus are planning on a busy time at their mill the coming winter. They have several different crews already in the woods cutting and yarding lumber.

John Green and Thomas Robinson of No. 5, two experienced woodsmen, are sleeping on the boughs in the New Hampshire woods this winter.

There is a scarcity of dry hard wood in the local market. It is not known where there is a cord of dry hard wood for sale in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grant of Wi... port and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cla... Detroit, spent Christmas with Ch... Clark and sister.

Copied from the town clerk's b... Dec. 30, 1899, the records show ... births and 18 deaths in town du... the year 1899.

The installation of the officers of Charles K. Johnson post, also the officers of the W. R. C. will take place at headquarters, Murphy Hall, Jan. 6, at 10 A. M.

F. C. Rogers is shipping a large amount of hay from this station, also Etna and Hermon Pond. He has two or more presses at work at the present time. The average price per ton is $10.

J. M. Robinson was on the street Saturday driving Eolus. He is in fine form and is showing well to snow.

State Treasurer F. M. Simpson has been in Augusta the most of the past week on business pertaining to his office.

Alonzo Tilton was in Bangor Satur... day on business.

BUCKSPORT NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: ... Nealley of Winterport spent Su... town.

Stanley D. Gray left Satur... for Massachusetts after spe... holidays at his home in Millv...

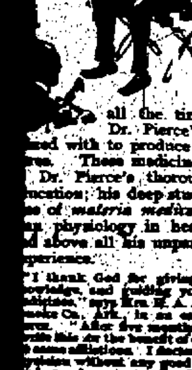
Frank W... and Irvi... ent spent ... with John ...

Frank Kennedy and wife ... urday at John Kennedy's, w... Frank Kennedy will recruit a... accident.

Miss Maud Colcord is visiting ... E. P. Nichols'.

Capt. Elias Emling arrived Saturday with his new purchase, the ... banker Landreer.

D. D. G. W., Alva'e B. Ames, ... ed by Grand Marshall Geo. H. ... of Winterport, will install the officers of Garfield lodge A. O. U. W. at Winterport Monday, Wilder lodge of Brewer Tuesday and Eureka lodge of Orrington Wednesday.


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## BREVITIES.

Miss Annette Wescott has resigned her position as teacher in the Brewer public schools and has gone to Portland where she intends to become a trained nurse.

January 1st being a legal holiday, the Brewer postoffice are closed the greater part of the day.

The severity of the weather prevented the King's Daughters from having their Christmas tree for the poor on January 1st. The day on which it will be held will be announced.

Brewer people have been making complaints of the poor lights. Sunday night the only light visible to the naked eye in the shape of electric light was the one in front of Merrill's pharmacy. They went out with the old year. Let us hope the new year will bring good lights and plenty of them in Brewer. Ring out the old lights, ring in the new and ring in some for State street beyond Somerset and Chamberlain beyond Washington streets.

St. Valentine will be the next celebration day. Just six weeks to make out the valentine list. Store keepers already have them ordered and will display them in a few weeks.

Mrs. Dr. Foss had a narrow escape from being seriously injured Saturday night by her horse becoming frightened and running away.

Rev. J. H. Barrows, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the funeral of Mrs. George Carlow, instead of Rev. Mr. Kinsley, as was stated in Monday morning's Whig.

The funeral services of the late Miss Melvina Treat, whose death occurred Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lida Wing, at 5 Penobscot street, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. The deceased leaves a mother, Mrs. Hattie Treat, of Brewer, and two sisters, Mrs. Lida Wing, of Brewer, and Mrs. William Beverley of Newton, Mass., and a brother, Mr. Charles Treat, of Arizona.

Mr. James Foley, who has been in Brewer on business, has returned to his home in Bar Harbor.

Mr. S. B. Eifield, who has recently been to Portland on business, has returned home.

Miss Alice Briggs has returned to Guilford.

The regular meeting of the city fathers will be held in their room at City Hall Thursday night.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Robinson and daughter, Estelle, will be pleased to learn of their safe arrival at Curacoa, W. I., where they will spend the winter.

Miss Ethel Crocker will begin her duties as teacher of the Excelsior Primary school on Tuesday.

Mr. Peter Pooler has gone to Brownville.

Mr. Amos King left Monday for Belfast where he will be employed during the winter months in taking care of the steamers for the Bangor and Bar Harbor Steamship Company which been hauled up there for the winter.

Messrs. Barstow, Hopkins and Ayer, of South Brewer, have recently returned form a fishing expedition.

Don't forget the dance in A. O. H. hall in Bangor Monday January 8th, under the management of two Brewer boys, Messrs. Kelley and Gallagher, assisted by Mr. Cushing of Bangor.

### HUSSEY-WASHBURN.

The marriage of Mr. Charles F. Hussey of Presque Isle, and Miss Grace E. Washburn, of Brewer, occurred Monday evening, January 1st, at the residence of the bride's mother on Parker street Rev. B. B. Merrill, of the Congregational church, performing the ceremony. They were well remembered with appropriate presents. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were invited. Mr. and Mrs. Hussey took the midnight train for Boston and other points.

Miss Margaret G. Walsh will return Tuesday for a few weeks' vacation. Miss Walsh is organist at St. Luke's church, Lewiston.

Mr. Lynwood Bunker is receiving congratulations of his friends in his new position as clerk in the probate court office. He is deserving of any good position which he may accept.

Miss Katharine Dunn is confined to the house with scarlet fever.

Master Goodrich Hewey has returned from Goodrich's Corner where he has been visiting his grandmother.

Mr. George W. Brimmer left Monday for Township No. 1 where he will commence hauling logs with a large crew of men and horses.

Miss Gertrude Higgins has returned to Brewer, where she will resume her duties as teacher in the public schools Monday.

Miss Lilla E. Curtis has returned to her duties as teacher in the public schools at Rumford Falls.

Mr. Arthur V. Rogers left last night for Harvard, after spending the holidays at home.

### DOANE-CLARK.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Doane on Wilson street was the scene of a very pretty wedding at six o'clock New Year's night when their daughter, Miss Grace Arey Doane was married to Mr. Homer Franklin Clark, of Fairfield. Rev. B. B. Merrill pastor of the First Congregational church, performed the ceremony in a very pleasing manner in the presence of the relatives and near friends. Miss Doane is well known

## THE MAINE'S DEAD.



Burial at Arlington Cemetery.

and highly respected and has many warm friends in Brewer and elsewhere. Mr. Clark is one of the leading young business men of Fairfield of the firm of Clark Bros., grocers. Mr. and Mrs. Clark were the recipients of a large number of presents, both beautiful and valuable. They left on the night train for their future home in Fairfield and bear with them the congratulations and best wishes of all their friends.

## SOME STATE CHAT.

Mayor Mortland of Rockland, is interesting himself in an effort which, if successful, will be very beneficial to the State in many ways. This is to have one week next summer set aside as Home week, when invitations will be sent to all the natives of Maine, now living in other localities, to visit their former homes. This plan was tried in New Hampshire last summer and worked very successfully, many thousands of former residents visiting the State. Old ties of friendship can be renewed and the week will prove a very pleasant one for the visitors as well as for the present residents. In addentally considerable money is necessarily left in the state. The idea is for each city and town to plan a special form of entertainment during the week in fact, make Home week the gala week of the season. Mayor Mortland will communicate with Governor Powers on the subject and hopes to obtain his co-operation.

A good joke is told of one of the State officials well known for his courtly and affable manners. He was at a public gathering, one evening last year, and there met a young lady.

"Er—Let me see, haven't I seen you about the State House?" he asked. "Why, I believe I have met you before." The lady's face looked familiar to him, and yet he could not place it.

"Yes, sir," she said in a puzzled sort of a way. "I suppose I am one of the clerks in your department."

The official was floored, for he had been talking with one of the new clerks to whom he had spoken a dozen times as he passed to his private office. Some of his fellow officials were standing near and he paid for the cigars all around.

State Insurance Commissioner S. W. Carr, in speaking of the receipts of the department says that this had been the greatest year in the history of the Maine insurance department. The receipts have exceeded by nearly $1000 those of any other year. Though this is not so great an increase as in previous years, it is a good showing for the past increases have been of an unusual growth and made through the upbuilding of the department to its present standard and importance.

The Maine hotel men report that last year's business was far ahead of that of 1899. During the months when a dull season would naturally be expected the business has been much better than was anticipated.

Discussions as to whether this is the first year of the 20th century, or the last of the 19th are rife. Some of the discussions are so very perplexing that even the participants themselves get so badly twisted in their scientific reasons, that they often floor themselves.

The opening lecture of the Bowdoin Medical School year will be given at Memorial Hall, Brunswick, today by Prof. Chas. A. Ring, M. D.

Bath Times: Our sanctum has undergone a great change to which we have not yet adjusted ourselves. Confusion worse confounded has given place to order that would delight the heart of one's grandmother and we can't find anything. The motley array of dancing girls, monarchs, statesmen and Bathites and the popcorn effigy of General Weyler which have looked down upon our intellectual earthquakes during the closing year have passed to the all-devouring wastebasket and our four walls are deserts of new, light brown paint broken only here and there by Uncle Sam's yellow, pink and green possessions in the East and West Indies and the similarly colored colonies and States of South Africa.

### SOME THINGS MR. MOODY SAID.

A man can no more take in a supply of grace for the future than he can eat enough today to last him for the next six months, or take sufficient air into his lungs at once to sustain life for a week to come. We must draw upon God's boundless store of grace from day to day, as we need it.

God's best gifts, like valuable jewels, are kept under lock and key, and those who want them must, with fervent faith importunately ask for them, for God is the rewarder of them that diligently seek him.

"If a man go up in a balloon they carry with them what they call ballast—that is, small bags of sand—and when they want to rise higher they just throw out some of the sand. So we, if we want to rise nearer heaven, must just throw out some of the sand and cast aside every weight. We won't rise higher till we do so.

There are three classes of people—the "wills" and "wont's," and the "can'ts." The first accomplish everything, the second oppose everything, and the third fail in everything.

Very often a man will hear a hundred good things in a sermon but there may be one thing that strikes him as a little out of place, and he will go home and sit down at the table and talk right out before his children and magnify that one wrong thing, and not say a word about the hundred good things that were said. That is what people do who criticise.

If you have a good excuse, don't give it up for anything I have said; don't give it up for anything your mother may have said, don't give it up for anything your friend may have said. Take it up to the bar of God and state it to Him. But if you have not got a good excuse—no excuse that will stand in eternity—let it go now and flee to the arms of a loving Savior.

A great many people say you must hear both sides; but if a man should write me a most slanderous letter about my wife, I don't think I would have to read it; I should tear it up and throw it to the winds. Have I to read all the infidel books that are written to hear both sides? Have I to take up a book that is a slander on my Lord and Master, who has redeemed me with his blood? Ten thousand times no! I will not touch it.

## MAKING GOLD

From Ore by Magnet—New Process Discovered by a Philadelphia Scientist.

Dr. J. A. Ogden, of Philadelphia, Pa., has made a discovery in ore treatment that is destined to revolutionize the present methods for extracting the precious metals from the rock. The inventor has been working on his process for years and he has now perfected it to such a degree that, by actual tests he is able to treat 90 per cent. of the ores of the Black Hills. His process is so simple that it is a wonder that the principle has not been put to work years ago. He has a small plant in successful operation near Deadwood, S. D., which is being visited by mining men from all parts of the country.

Dr. Ogden has worked at his plant for a year or more, keeping his secrets to himself. His process, briefly, is this: He has a twenty-horse power engine a 150-light electric dynamo and a roaster. The ore is pulverized to a fine mesh, fed on to the upper end of the roaster which is nothing more than a long piece of sheet iron at an incline, under which a fire is built, and screened through an 80 mesh. The ore is then carried to the magnetic separator. The powdered ore drops on to a wide belt across which there are three narrow belts running at right angles.

### POWERFUL MAGNET USED.

Above each narrow belt there is a powerful magnet which is made alive by the electricity generated in the dynamo. The ore which contains a large per cent. of iron, passes along under the magnets which quickly pick up every grain of iron, drawing it against the belts which run crosswise with the wide belt. As soon as the iron is carried out of the magnetic field, a distance of ten inches from the wide belt, it is all dropped and falls into a bin. There is left on the wide belt nothing but sand and the gold or other values. The process is intended to take out of the ore all of the iron or other magnetic metals, which are usually a detriment to the successful reduction of the ore.

It is estimated that 90 per cent. of the ore in the Black Hills is pyritic, or, in other words, carries iron. The ore in the Homestake mine contains from 50 to 90 per cent. Dr. Ogden will do this with the Homestake ore. He will take it from the mine, pulverize it to an 80 mesh, and run it through the magnetic belts. All of the iron will be taken out, say 80 per cent, to the ton. That would leave 20 per cent. sand and gold, equal to 400 pounds to the ton. Five tons of raw ore can be concentrated into one ton of sand and values. The iron being out of the ore, the sand and values can be run over the amalgamating plates and practically all of the gold will be caught by the quicksilver.

### AN IMMENSE SAVING.

This eliminating of the iron from the Homestake ore would mean the saving of several hundred thousand dollars worth of gold every year. Dr. Ogden has put down on paper a guarantee that he can save $100,000 a year for the company.

There are millions and millions of tons of ore in the Black Hills that have a value of $5 to $6 a ton gold. Most of these ores contain 50 per cent. or more of iron. The Ogden process will eliminate all of the iron and make it possible to put from one to ten tons, by concentration, into one. By a chemical process, known only to Dr. Ogden, he will take the product from his magnetic belts and extract the values for 60 cents per ton. To separate the iron from the product will cost less than 25 cents per ton. The claim of the Ogden process is that it will extract the values from 90 per cent. of the Black Hills ores for less than $1 per ton.

The pyritic ores are made magnetic by passing them through the roaster, which drives off about 10 per cent. of the sulphur thus making the iron predominate, when it becomes magnetic. —The Chicago Record.

### ABOUT AFRICAN HORSES.

One of the very first things that strike the wanderer in the great expanses of the Southern Hemisphere is the strength and endurance of the horse. Though, to look at, they are the sorriest scrags I ever set eyes on, yet they appear to be possessed of a power of getting over the ground that is little short of miraculous, and so astonishing in its persistence as to seem automatic, says a writer in African life. A very striking instance came under my notice only a few days after landing in Cape Town in 1863. I was sitting, one Saturday afternoon, on the stoop of Park's Hotel, which occupied the corner of Adderley and Strand streets, when a dust-covered horseman stopped and dismounted. His horse was taken to the stables, and in the course of a conversation in the bar I learned that he was a member of a legislative assembly for an up-country district. There was no railway communication with the interior in those days, and he had ridden in from his home at Colesburg less than six days, having started the previous Monday.

Now Colesburg is more than 500 miles from Cape Town, and the country is very rough going, much of it being heavy, sand and other parts very mountainous. No English-bred horse, fed according to English methods, could have accomplished such a ride as this, more especially when we consider the temperature of the Cape Colony. I went to look at the animal on which the journey had been performed, and found it to be a little roan schimmel, barely fourteen hands and, apparently, fresh as paint.

Another very remarkable ride that came under my notice was performed by a Boer, who lived a few miles from Graytown, in Natal. His wife was taken ill, and a particular medicine, not to be obtained in Graytown, was imperative. So, in the early hours of the night, he started for Maritzburg, 55 miles distant, through an extremely hilly country, and was back on his farm in 16 hours. The remarkable thing in this ride was that this Boer weighed over seventeen stone.

In my own experience many instances of the wonderful staying powers of African horses have occurred. To mention one, in 1865 I had been appointed Honorable Secretary for the first athletic sports held in the Umboti County of Natal. They were to be held in Graytown on Boxing Day, which fell on Monday. All preparations, enables, etc., were concluded early in December, when I received an urgent request to go to the Transvaal to look after a friend, who was lying very ill in his wagon, with no attendant but a couple of raw Kaffirs. I rode as hard as I could, and found him among the Boers of the Drakensberg, between Lydenburg and Wakkerstroom, very bad with fever, which he had contracted somewhere in the low country to the northwest. I attended him for some days, until he was clearly out of danger, and then suddenly remembered that I had to be in Graytown on Monday morning. I was then sitting on the wagon box, drinking my morning coffee, at 6 o'clock, Saturday morning. Graytown was 220 miles away, but I was at my post there at 10 A. M. and in addition took second prize both in running and jumping competitions.

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## BEST NEWS.

JOTTINGS OF INTEREST TO TURF FOLLOWERS AND HORSE LOVERS.

## COMMENTS AND NOTES.

A JOURNAL OF FAMOUS MEN, FLYERS AND RACE COURSE ITEMS.

News About the Trotters and Instructive and Interesting Matter of a General Character.

An authority on horses has the following to say regarding the age of a horse as told by the teeth.

Indication of age. Every colt born at full time has four prominent nippers at birth, at nine days eight, and at four, and one half months, twelve.

As to the exact age for the falling of the milk teeth it is impossible to tell, as those of high bred colts begin at twenty months and have a full, permanent set at three and one-half years, while those of coarse, cold-blooded colts do not fall until six months older, and do not have a full permanent set until five years of age.

As for the cups disappearing at regular ages, they do not, as a high bred horse, confined to dry hay and grain, year after year, will lose all cups at eight years of age, while a Canadian or P. E. I. admitted to pasture will retain them until fourteen.

A parrot mouth is a deformity beginning as the permanent incisors advance, attaining their full length at five years of age. The incisors are about three sixteenths of an inch longer than common teeth, both upper and lower bearing a bow shape, the upper incisors project over the lower, with the mucous membrane drawn well back on the bony substance giving the mouth a hollow appearance, slightly changing with age, making it almost impossible for our most expert horsemen to ascertain the exact age of a horse.

Queen Wilkes was bred by C. H. Dwinal of Mechanic Falls and after taking her at five years old Mr. F. E. Dwinal grew her 2½ inches in height, a rather unusual circumstance. Queen Bayard is a six-year-old and her mark is no measure of her speed, as they say she can go close to two minutes.

Ned H. (p) 2.22 is said to be king of the local speedway at New Britain, Conn.

A. T. Miller, driver of Pickpania 2.14¼, has been engaged to train for J. W. Daly of Mt. Kisco Farm the young stock by Oro Wilkes and Delmarch.

It is not thought that the attempt to "hoodoo" early closing events will be a success.

The three-year-old stallion Trademan, by Pedlar 2.18½ has been sold to a Brockton gentleman. His dam was Linnet, by Lancaster, thoroughbred son of Lexington; second dam Bell Boyd by Gen. Knox; third dam by Seabey's Champion. This is said to be an elegant colt.

Bumps 2.03¼, the wagon champion, is dead from lung fever. Bumps was by Baron Wilkes and a good money winner.

John Payne is wintering at Readville, among others, the Maine horse Early Bird, Jr., (p) 2.11¼.

John Huggins has assumed a position on the English turf, which only three or four years ago would have appeared an impossible pinnacle for any American trainer, no matter how clever, to attain. Some of the English papers have even gone so far as to acknowledge that horses are very liable to improve when they pass from the hands of an Englishman to those of an American. The reference was undoubtedly directed mainly to what Huggins did with Knight of the Thistle.

The famous mares, Elloree (2.08½), by Axtell, and the 3-year old Extasy (2.16¼, pacing as a 2-year-old, and 2.11½, trotting as a 3-year-old) have been retired and are to be bred to Prodigal. They are now owned by Marcus Daly, and were shipped with other mares several days ago to Bitter Root farm. It is probable, however, that Extasy may be campaigned again after she has had a foal, for at the close of last season she looked like a strong candidate for championship honors.

How well the American jockeys did on the other side of the Atlantic can be gauged from the following figures of the winnings of jockeys in England for the last season. S. Loates had 731 mounts, and finished first 160 times; O. Madden, out of 897 mounts brought his horse in first 130 times. Madden is the English jockey who copied Sloan's style of riding. M. Cannon was third, with 120 wins out of 468 mounts. T. Loates was fourth, with 693 mounts and 112 wins. Sloan was fifth in the number of wins, but with far the best average of them all, winning 108 times out of a total of of 345 mounts. L. Reiff captured 65 firsts out of 184 mounts, and little Reiff won 27 firsts, many of them while Sloan was under suspension. The Reiffs arrived in this country about two weeks ago. They will return to England, and ride for Mr. Croker next season.

The Washington Jockey Club has concluded that the way to give racing a boost this year is to provide events open only to the members of the neighboring hunt clubs. The hunters' champion steeplechase run at the last autumn meeting was a great success, will be continued annually, and the club has now decided to give a second preliminary event at the spring meeting. This will be known as the spring hunters' steeplechase, and will be open for 4-year-olds and upward, and under the rules of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association that have been regularly hunted during the season of 1899-1900, owned and ridden by members of recognized hunts in Maryland, Virginia and District of Columbia. The Washington Jockey Club will add to this event a $100 piece of plate and $250. The only entrance charge is $10, which is play or pay. Subscriptions must be made by Feb. 1, 1900, and horses named on or before March 15, and there is no limit to the number of individual entries.

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## DEXTER NEWS.

Matters of Personal and General Interest.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Dexter, Me., Jan. 1. J. W. Haines and wife were in Bangor Saturday for the day.

At a meeting of Court Saxpose, O. F., held Friday evening, Edward C. Swanton of this place and Joseph B. Woddard and Granville B. Hayden of Corinna were given the degree. The membership of this court is now 225 and an increase is in prospect in the near future.

H. N. Eldridge, Esq., returned to Northport, R. I., after spending a week in Dexter visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Carrie Ramsdell, a teacher in the public schools in Lynn, Mass., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. B. Ramsdell, of St. Albans, returned to her duties last Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Marble and little daughter returned home from Augusta Saturday where Mrs. Marble has been for several weeks undergoing medical treatment.

L. C. Coughlin and wife went to Bath Saturday to visit relatives and will go to Portland to visit friends before they return.

The snow which came Friday night helped the traveling very much but more is needed to make good sleighing.

J. F. Kerby has hung out a new sign. It is very neat and appropriate and is the best sign in town and reflects great credit on the painter.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucuous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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## SPORTING WORLD.

GENERAL NOTES OF PROFESSIONAL AND AMATEUR SPORT.

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THE LATEST HAPPENINGS IN THE VARIOUS LINES OF SPORT.

Base Ball, The Prize Ring, Foot Ball and Games of All Sorts.

George Davis is the most sought-after short stop playing ball.

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The New York club has no option on a Boston player.

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Manager Bob Allen will act as utility infielder for his Cincinnati team.

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The league will never deliver a star player free to any club. The highest bidder will secure the man.

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Pres. Jim Hart of the Chicago club is a strong advocate of the Brush plan for two minor and one major leagues.

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Capt. Anson says he will not accept a position of any kind. He is out of baseball unless as a backer, and that must come in the way of a club in Chicago.

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Amos Rusie may return to the game once more, as several clubs would like him and Mr. Freedman could certainly have no object in keeping a man from making an honest living, at the same time retaining his dignity.

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"The National league will never give up $50,000 to get rid of the four circuits, Baltimore, Washington, Louisville and Cleveland." The above is the prediction of a well-known league magnate who is expected to count out a few green ones for the pleasure of going it with a select few.

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Terry McGovern does not favor clinches during a boxing contest. "This is against the Marquis of Queensberry rules." McGovern says, "as it comes under the head of Rule 2—which prohibits hugging or wrestling. Referees ought to disqualify a man as soon as he attempts to hold his opponent. He is not fighting when he does this, but uses the clinch simply to avoid punishment. If one of the fighters in every contest would keep on punching when his opponent tries to clinch, the clinching man would be compelled to break away and fight. Contests these days last to long. If referees would punish the offenders, as they should do, by disqualification, fights would be shorter and more decisive. Then only two exceptionally well-matched men would fight more than fifteen rounds without a finishing blow."

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"It will probably be my last fight," said "Kid" McCoy speaking of his encounter with Peter Maher on New Year's afternoon. "I am going into business.

"Don't laugh. I am if I can see my way clear to get along, and just now I can. I am going to open a school for physical education. That's a good name for it, isn't it? The school will be in New York city, and I think I will. Well, I will teach others to be clever. Well, I will teach others to be clever.

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Mrs. Lily Langtry, known in racing circles as "Mr. Jersey," under which name her horses are nominated in the English stakes, is about to dispose of her racing stable and to wash her hands forever of the turf. She will do this at the expressed wish of her husband, Mr. Hugo Gerald de Bathe, who does not think it is a woman's province to own race horses. Mrs. Langtry's career on the English turf has been prosperous. She spent thousands to retain a good string of horses, and won many thousands. Fortune smiled and frowned at intervals, but the smiles were more frequent.

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"Some people think that I am out of baseball for good, and I am, in a playing sense," said John Montgomery Ward at the Hoffman House, "but I shall always take the liveliest interest in the doings of the players and the club owners. While I have taken up the law as a means of livelihood, my experience for 20 years in baseball taught me a great deal that will be of material benefit to me in the remainder of my life. I refer to the healthful outdoor exercise and plenty of fresh air.

"A man who is sound physically misses the opportunity of his life when he neglects to take plenty of outdoor exercise. And it is the best plan to begin when he is young, for that starts him on the right roads and his health will be benefited through his life and his days will be lengthened accordingly. Of course some athletes go to extremes, and enlarged heart and lung troubles are the results. Every man of ordinary intelligence knows his limit of endurance, and if he goes beyond that exercise it does more harm than good.

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only to the members of the neighboring hunt clubs. The hunters' champion steeplechase run at the last autumn meeting was a great success, and will be continued annually, and the club has now decided to give a sort of preliminary event at the spring meeting. This will be known as the spring hunters' steeplechase, and will be open for 4-year-olds and upward, qualified under the rules of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association, that have been regularly hunted during the season of 1899-1900, owned and ridden by members of recognized hunts in Maryland, Virginia and District of Columbia. The Washington Jockey Club will add to this event a $100 piece of plate and $250. The only entrance charged is $10, which is play or pay. Subscriptions must be made by Feb. 15, 1900, and horses named on or before March 15, and there is no limit to the number of individual entries.

## DEXTER NEWS.

### Matters of Personal and General Interest.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Dexter, Me., Jan. 1. J. W. Haines and wife were in Bangor Saturday, for the day.

At a meeting of Court Samoset, I. O. F., held Friday evening, Edward C. Swanton of this place and Joseph B. Woddard and Granville B. Hayden of Corinna were given the degree. The membership of this court is now 84 and an increase is in prospect in the near future.

H. N. Eldridge, Esq., returned to Northport, R. I., after spending a week in Dexter visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Carrie Ramsdell, a teacher in the public schools in Lynn, Mass., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. B. Ramsdell, of St. Albans, returned to her duties last Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Marble and little daughter returned home from Augusta Saturday, where Mrs. Marble has been for several weeks undergoing medical treatment.

L. C. Coughlin and wife went to Bath Saturday to visit relatives and will go to Portland to visit friends before they return.

The snow which came Friday night helped the traveling very much, but more is needed to make good sledding.

J. F. Kerby has hung out a new sign. It is very neat and appropriate and is the best sign in town and reflects great credit on the painter.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucuous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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### THE LATEST HAPPENINGS IN THE VARIOUS LINES OF SPORT.

Base Ball, The Prize Ring, Foot Ball and Games of All Sorts.

George Davis is the most sought-after short stop playing ball.

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The New York club has no option on a Boston player.

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Manager Bob Allen will act as utility infielder for his Cincinnati team.

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The league will never deliver a star player free to any club. The highest bidder will secure the man.

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Pres. Jim Hart of the Chicago club is a strong advocate of the Brush plan for a minor and one major leagues.

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Capt. Anson says he will not accept a position of any kind. He is out of baseball unless as a backer, and that must come in the way of a club in Chicago.

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Amos Rusie may return to the game once more, as several clubs would like him and Mr. Freedman could certainly have no object in keeping a man from making an honest living, at the same time retaining his dignity.

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"The National league will never give up $50,000 to get rid of the four clubs, Baltimore, Washington, Louisville and Cleveland." The above is the prediction of a well-known league magnate who is expected to count off a few ones for the pleasure of going it with a select few.

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Terry McGovern does not favor clinches during a boxing contest. "This is against the Marquis of Queensberry rules," McGovern says, "as it comes under the head of Rule 2—which prohibits hugging or wrestling. Referees ought to disqualify a man as soon as he attempts to hold his opponent. He is not fighting when he does this, but uses the clinch simply to avoid punishment. If one of the fighters in every contest would keep on punching when his opponent tries to clinch, the clinching man would be compelled to break away and fight. Contests these days last to long. If referees would punish the offenders, as they should do, by disqualification, fights would be shorter and more decisive. Then only two exceptionally well-matched men would fight more than fifteen rounds without a finishing blow."

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"It will probably be my last fight," said "Kid" McCoy speaking of his encounter with Peter Maher on New Year's afternoon. "I am going into business.

"Don't laugh. I am if I can see my way clear to get along, and just now I am ... I am going to open a school for physical education. That's a good name for it, isn't it? The school will be in New York city, and I think I will do well, I will teach others to be clever. Well, I will teach others to be clever.

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Mrs. Lily Langtry, known in racing circles as "Mr. Jersey," under which name her horses are nominated in the English stakes, is about to dispose of her racing stable and to wash her hands forever of the turf. She will do this at the expressed wish of her husband, Mr. Hugo Gerald de Bathe, who does not think it is a woman's province to own race horses. Mrs. Langtry's career on the English turf has been prosperous. She spent thousands to obtain a good string of horses, and won many thousands. Fortune smiled and frowned at intervals, but the smiles were more frequent.

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in cycling racing next season. Fields in the middle-distance contests will be increased, while the opposite will be the case in the shorter distance championship events. Meet promoters have found that middle distance contests are as a rule no contests after a certain point has been reached. With but a few starters accidents of one sort or another are likely to happen to all but one who rides a professional race to a finish and wins out by a large margin. With the large field of, say, seven, eight or nine it is thought that a real contest at the finish may be brought forth and the interest in the race intensified. Middle distance races will probably be open affairs with a certain limit, the capacity of the track to take care of the motor cycles and their riders placed in the entry list.

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In the sprinting distances it has been found that the field of five still allows of a great deal of team work. The controlling body in the sport, the National Cycling Association, last year carried on an active warfare against this pernicious practice, but could not check it altogether where five were allowed to start in the final. The plan to be tried in all probability in 1900 calls for the reduction of the field for the final race to three men, as is done in Europe. Meet promoters will doubtless make it worth the while of the racing men to submit to such a plan by giving special money prizes in each of the semi-finals. With three prize moneys for the final, five men would then receive compensation in the race where but four get anything now. With a field of three the final is reduced, the importance of a match race and it is figured that the opportunity for successful team work is reduced to a minimum. Many of the riders will welcome the change while others who in the past have been concerned in team work will raise a vigorous objection.

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Secretary Bassett, of the League of American Wheelmen, estimates there will be 200 votes actually represented at the national assembly. According to this, it will take 134 votes, or thereabouts, to carry a constitutional amendment, and 68 votes will be sufficient to defeat any similar proposition. Candidates for election must have 101 votes to win. The votes are distributed by sections, as follows: New England, 53; the West, 57; South, 21; Atlanta Coast States, 124; Pennsylvania, New York, Massachusetts and New Jersey have an even 100 votes.

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There will be little, if any, appreciable change in the models of construction of next season's bicycles from those of the present pattern and build. Inquiry among dealers has elicited the fact that, while in quality and workmanship improvements will be made where possible, the models in both chain and chainless wheels will be practically unchanged.

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Whether under the present International Cycling Association or under the new body, of which so much is being written and spoken, the international championship meet of 1901 will probably go to Buffalo. Powerful influences are at work to secure this great meet for Buffalo at the time of the Pan-American Exposition. Europe has it this year, and it is right and proper that America should have it again the next season. The Canadian Wheelmen's Association had it in '99, the U. V. F. of France is sponsor for 1900, at the time of the Paris Exposition, and the National Cycling Association is anxious to bring the great meet to America the following year. Chairman Batchelder is much interested in the project. He has had a long talk with Victor Breyer, of Paris the leader of affairs of the U. V. F., and that gentleman has promised to throw his influence in the desired direction. An international meet has not been held in the United States since '93, when it was held at the World's Exposition at Chicago. Buffalo's favorable location, the city itself, and more, the Pan-American Exposition, should not make the job a difficult one. Under a new association it is quite probable that the chances for the success of the venture would be ten-fold greater, as the National Association is almost directly responsible for the formation of the new body, and would therefore be almost a law unto itself in its desires.

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Most of the foreign riders who were brought to this country to take part in the recent tournament at Madison Square Garden, are a thoroughly disgruntled, disconsolate lot. Great things were held out to them regarding the money that they would be able to make in this country. When they arrived they found that professional racing in this country had been nearly destroyed by the professional promoters, as is the case in France. Most of the foreigners contemplated remaining in this country until the next outdoor racing season opens, but they have changed their minds, and the majority of them will return home long before the winter is over.

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Floyd A. McFarland and Orlando Stevens, comprising the widely known racing firm of "I & Stevie," and so known the world over, confirm the report that they will tour Europe next season. McFarland was the largest winner among the sprinters in America last season. Stevens gained the half mile championship. The team won more than any other racing team during the season and has done so for several years. McFarland also confirms the report that he will enter the middle-distance racing field. As a pace follower he has rare ability, having ... [illegible]

and during the present winter is working daily back of pace.

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The correct official list of delegates to the National Assembly of the League of American Wheelmen is as follows:—Colorado, 3; Connecticut, 6; Delaware, 2; District of Columbia, 3; Florida, 1; Georgia, 1; Illinois, 5; Indiana, 4; Iowa, 1; Kansas, 2; Kentucky, 4; Maine, 4; Maryland, 5; Massachusetts, 28; Michigan, 7; Minnesota, 3; Missouri, 3; Montana, 1; Nebraska, 2; New Hampshire, 1; New Jersey, 10; New York, 29; North Carolina, 1; Ohio, 9; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 33; Rhode Island, 6; South California, 3; South Carolina, 1; Tennessee, 1; Texas, 1; Vermont, 2; Virginia, 2; Washington, 1; West Virginia, 1; Wisconsin, 5; ex-officials, 10; ex-presidents, 17; A. A. U., 1; professionals, 1. Total, 227.

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... sport. My eyes lost their lustre, my face got ashen in hue and I felt all out of sorts. Then I sat down and soon found the cause of the trouble. I had simply jumped into another world.

"I met Al Spalding in the street that afternoon and told him how I was feeling. He diagnosed my case as I had done. I was glad to hear that the old-time pitcher had passed through the same experience. I had abandoned my out-door exercise of every description so suddenly that my muscular nervous system was ready to collapse. Spalding suggested that I go out and get a bicycle and ride it a little every day.

"I followed his advice and within a short time my color had returned and I felt my old self again. Now I have taken up golf in addition, and my wheel and golf sticks give me plenty of exercise and I feel as healthy as I did when I played my last baseball game with the New Yorks in the fall of 1894."

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A well-known athlete says: "The Paris exposition will be the means of bringing together the best athletes of the world in international contests and I am convinced that at the end the Americans will be far and away in the lead in almost every event in which they will take part. While as yet we have not made any arrangements regarding the sending of any of the boys of the 'First' there is a possibility that a few of our best athletes may go to the other side. Such members as Frank Martin, pole vaulter; McLain, hurdler, and Effendell, sprinter, would be able to hold their own with some of the best in the world. Besides the meets at the Paris exposition there will be numerous ones on this side and Chicago will have her full share. Just where the national championships will be held I am unable to say, but New York stands a good chance of getting them, and if she does local enthusiasts will be able to see the best men in the country compete in athletic contests."

## THE LOVING CUP

### Traced Back to the Hunting Jaunts of Henry of Navarre.

How many people have heard the story of the origin of the loving cup? Just a year ago in Oxford, Eng., relates a correspondent of the Chicago Record. I was in a china shop buying souvenir cups, and the shopkeeper gave me a printed card telling why the first loving cup was made. The story had been told by the late Lord Lyons, British Ambassador at Paris, who was given as authority for the tale which follows:

"King Henry of Navarre (who was also Henry IV. of France) while hunting became separated from his companions and, feeling thirsty, called at a wayside inn for a cup of wine. The serving maid on handing it to him as he sat on horseback neglected to present the handle. Some wine was spilt over, and his Majesty's white garments were soiled. While riding home he bethought him that a two-handled cup would prevent a recurrence of this, so his Majesty had a two-handled cup made at the royal potteries and sent to the inn. On his next visit he called again for wine, when, to his astonishment, the maid (having received instructions from her mistress to be very careful of the King's cup) presented it to him holding it herself by each of its handles. At once the happy idea struck the King of a cup with three handles, which was promptly acted upon, as his Majesty quaintly remarked: "Surely out of three handles I shall be able to get one." Hence the loving cup."

## AMERICAN ENGLISH INTERPRETED.

During the present epidemic of American troops in Hongkong the following glossary of some of the terms in use by them may be found of use or interest:

"To rubberneck"—To look around to see what may be seen. To crane at a fence or over trenches.

"Slumgullion, or otherwise "slum"—Hash as obtained in the average Chinese restaurant.

"Cold feet," or otherwise "cold footed"—To be afraid, a coward.

"To hike"—To chase along; "hiking," pursuing.

"Dog robber"—A soldier who acts as lickspittle to his superiors.

"To throw down"—To get a chum into trouble.

"To ship the straps"—(i. e., shoulder-straps)—to get a commission.

"Bootleg"—Cocoa.

"Gugu"—An insurgent. Name said to be invented by the Twentieth Kansas Volunteers.

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onist give in. To rate any one soundly.

"A rooky"—Any one who has been in the service ten minutes less than yourself.

"To shoot craps"—An interesting game played with two dice on a numbered board. Sometimes one wins, sometimes the other. (Generally the other.)

"To hit the pipe"—To smoke opium.

"A dope dollar"—A British, Mexican or any silver dollar except that of the United States.

"Bobtail"—A soldier discharge by reason of misconduct.

Here our informant tried to explain how unfair it was that he should be "bobtailed." Explanation proceeding as we go to press.—Hongkong Telegraph.

### SONG OF THE TICKER.

Over the ticker hung a man,
Hollow-eyed and weak and wan,
High and shrill his voice did ring,
And this the song the man did sing:

"Holy smoke, what has broke!
B. and Q. has gone askew!
Flippity flop, look at Mop!
See old Hocking: ain't that shocking?
What a pass is that for Gas!

"Ticker, ticker, tell me whether
I had better go in Leather?
Do you think I'd lose my blubber
If I took a shy at Rubber?

"Santa Fe is on a spree,
Old St. Paul has had a fall,
B. and O. is on the go,
Sugar doesn't stand like Kruger.

"Oh ticker, ticker, tell me true,
What the devil shall I do?
Coal and Iron that I bought
Has cost me just a house and lot!

"Then there's 'L,' oh sad to tell,
No one knows how one she goes,
The Pacifics are terrific,
Federal, Steel make me squeal
And Cotton Oil m[illegible]
But let 'em glide on [illegible]
For I'll twist and sell the list!

"Oh, ticker, ticker, what is this?
You or I have gone amiss,
When I bought 'em low they went,
I sell 'em and they're skyward sent!

"There's my yacht that I bought,
Dragged from me by C. and C.;
Lackawanna is a goner,
Susquehanna, O doddammer!
See 'em soar forever more
While I bleed at every pore!

"There's my mortgage of my house,
There's my diamonds—n x kum rous!
Dogs and horses all gone hence—
And my hide is on the fence!"
—New York Commercial.

The examination of the accounts of the State treasurer will be later, this year, than commonly on account of the presence on the board of examiners of so many lawyers. The terms of court opening the first of this month make it inconvenient for the lawyers to leave their court work. Consequently the examination will take place about the 23rd of this month.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Second National Bank, of Bangor, will be held at their banking rooms in Bangor on Tuesday, the ninth day of January, 1900, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the choice of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before said meeting.

GEORGE ... CROSBY, Cashier.
Bangor, Me., Dec. 7, 1899.

Bangor ... Savings Society.

... meeting will be held at ... [illegible]

## BANGOR POST OFFICE.

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A. B. PIERCE...............Ass't Postmaster
E. F. WEBSTER.........Supt. Money Order

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### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

#### MAILS CLOSE.

Bangor and Boston, 6.20 A. M., 1.00, 7.30 and 11 P. M.

Vanceboro and Bangor, 4.15 A. M., 1.45 P. M.

Caribou and Bangor, 6.15 A. M., 4.10 P. M.

Calais and Bangor, 6.15 A. M., 4.10 P. M.

Greenville and Bangor, 6.10 A. M.

Bangor and Bar Harbor, 6.10 A. M., 4.10 P. M.

Bangor and Bucksport, 610 A. M., 4.10 P. M.

Dixmont Center, 6.00 A. M.

Levant and Exeter, 1.45 P. M.

N. Bradford, 1.45 P. M.

Monroe, 1.45 P. M.

Amherst and Aurora, 6.30 A. M.

Stockton Springs and Winterport, 6.00 A. M.

#### MAILS ARRIVE.

Bangor and Boston, 4.30 A. M., 3.05, 4.45 and 6.30 P. M.

Vanceboro and Bangor, 1.30 P. M., 12 A. M.

Caribou and Bangor, 1.15 and 7.30 P. M.

Bangor and Bucksport, 7.10 A. M., 7.20 P. M.

Foxcroft and Newport, 9.15 A. M.

Bangor and Bar Harbor, 1.15 P. M., 7.00 P. M.

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#### LETTER CARRIERS.

All letters are delivered free by carriers when addressed to street and number. People should inform their correspondents of above and have their letters addressed accordingly.

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Collections are made morning, noon, evening and night in season for important mails.

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#### ENVELOPES.

No additional charge will be made for printing the name and request to return, across the left hand upper corner of the envelopes furnished by the Postoffice Department (samples of which may be seen at the stamp window), when ordered in lots of not less than 500.

Stamped envelopes spoiled in directing, are redeemed at this office. Internal Revenue stamps are not good for postage.

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All letters must be prepaid.—Letters for the Mails in the United States two cents each ounce or fractional part of an ounce.

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All regular newspapers must be prepaid at the office of publication at the rate of one cent per pound for each issue. The same law applies to dealers.

County papers free except to letter carrier offices, i. e. papers coming to this office published in County are subject to postage. Daily papers published in County, if delivered by carrier, one cent each, to be prepaid by stamps.

Transient newspapers and periodicals one cent for four ounces.

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Upon matter of third or fourth class the sender may write his own name or address with the word "from" without extra charge for postage.

Third and fourth class matter may be registered same as first class on payment of registry fee of 8 cents.

Advertised Letters.

All letters remaining in the office are advertised each week. If not claimed in two weeks thereafter, they are forwarded to the Dead Letter office.

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## RAILROADS.

Bangor & Aroostook Railroad.

### ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

In Effect, Monday, Nov. 28, 1899.

Pullman Buffet Parlor Cars between Houlton and Bangor on train leaving Houlton at 6.20 A. M. and Bangor at 4.45 P. M.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

7.00 A. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.15 A. M., Milo 8.40 A. M., Brownville 8.50 A. M., Katahdin Iron Works 9.30 A. M., Norcross, 9.43 A. M., Millinocket 9.55 A. M., Sherman 10.45 A. M., Patten 11.10 A. M., Island Falls 11.12 A. M., Smyrna Mills 11.45 A. M., Webster 12.10 P. M., Masardis 1.03 P. M., Ashland 1.30 P. M., Houlton 12.10 P. M., Presque Isle 1.57 P. M., Caribou 2.25 P. M., New Sweden 2.53 P. M., Van Buren 3.05 P. M., Fort Fairfield 2.15 P. M., Limestone 3.15 P. M., Dover 9.10 A. M., Guilford 9.35 A. M., Monson Junction 9.53 A. M., Greenville 10.50 A. M.

4.00 P. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange 5.25 P. M.

4.45 P. M.—For and arriving at Milo 6.20 P. M., Brownville 6.32 P. M., Katahdin Iron Works 7.15 P. M., Dover and Foxcroft 6.46 P. M., Guilford 7.00 P. M., Greenville 8.20 P. M., Norcross 7.25 P. M., Millinocket 7.37 P. M., Sherman 8.20 P. M., Patten 8.45 P. M., Island Falls 8.45 P. M., Houlton 9.40 P. M.

ARRIVALS.

9.20 A. M.—Leaving Greenville at 5.25 A. M., Monson Junction 6.23 A. M., Guilford 6.40 A. M., Dover 7.00 A. M., Katahdin I. W. 6.20 A. M., Brownville 7.15 A. M., Milo 7.30 A. M., Lagrange 7.57 A. M.

1.05 P. M.—Leave Caribou 6.15 A. M., Presque Isle 6.42 A. M., Fort Fairfield 6.20 A. M., Houlton 8.20 A. M., Ashland 7.00 A. M., Masardis 7.26 A. M., Webster 8.13 A. M., Smyrna Mills 8.42 A. M., Island Falls 9.15 A. M., Patten 9.15 A. M., Sherman 9.40 A. M., Millinocket 10.27 A. M., Norcross 10.30 A. M., Brownville 11.30 A. M.

7.20 P. M.—Leaving Greenville 3.35 P. M., Monson Junction 4.32 P. M., Guilford 4.50 P. M., Dover 5.08 P. M., Limestone 9.45 A. M., Van Buren 9.55 A. M., New Sweden 10.57 A. M., Caribou 11.45 A. M., Presque Isle 12.13 P. M., Fort Fairfield 11.15 A. M., Houlton 2.00 P. M., Island Falls 3.00 P. M., Patten 2.55 P. M., Sherman 3.28 P. M., Millinocket 4.16 P. M., Norcross 4.30 P. M., Katahdin I. W. 3 P. M., Brownville 5.30 P. M., Milo, 5.40 P. M., Lagrange 6.06 P. M.

GEO. M. HOUGHTON,
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F. W. CRAM,
Vice Pres. and Gen. Mgr.
Bangor, Me., Nov. 23, 1899.

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## REAL ESTATE.

### Wanted, Lost, Found, to Let, Etc

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost, found, to let, etc., not exceeding four lines, 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid regular advertising rates will be charged.

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### ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY.

The Committee on Accounts and Claims of the City Government will ... on the first Tuesday in each month at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of auditing bills against the city. All bills must be approved by the Officer and Committee of the Department contracting the same and handed in to the Committee on Accounts and Claims (or City Clerk) ... [illegible]

## RAILROADS.

Maine Central Railroad.

### ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

In Effect Dec. 4, 1899.

Trains will leave Bangor for stations named and intermediate stations as follows:

GOING EAST.

For Aroostook Co., St. Stephen, St. John and the Provinces 4.35 A. M., 2.05 P. M. Passengers take the 4.35 A. M. train at Western Station as Exchange Street Station, will not be open for sale of tickets. For B. & A. R. R., all points, 7.00 A. M. For Greenville, Patten and Houlton 4.45 P. M. For Mattawamkeag 5.30 P. M. For Vanceboro 4.35 A. M. and 2.05 P. M. For Old Town 4.35, 7.00, 8.30 A. M., 11.30 A. M., 1.15, 2.05, 2.50, 4.00, 4.45, 5.30, 6.30 and 11.05 P. M.

GOING WEST.

For all points 7.15 A. M. For Dover, Foxcroft, Belfast, Skowhegan, Waterville, Augusta, Rockland, Lewiston, Portland and Boston 1.35 P. M. For Dover, Foxcroft and Waterville 7.15 A. M., 1.35 and 4.35 P. M. For Lewiston, Bath, Portland and Boston 8.00 P. M. For Portland and Boston 7.15 A. M., 1.35, 8.00 and 11.45 P. M. For White Mountains, Montreal and Quebec 11.45 P. M. For Fabyans, Lancaster, Gorham, Berlin, Groveton, Island Pond, No. Stratford, Colebrook and Beecher Falls 7.15 A. M. For No. Conway and Bartlett 7.15 A. M., 1.35 and 11.45 P. M.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 6.30 and 11.50 A. M., 4.55 P. M., and Saturdays only at 7.00 P. M. Arrive at Bucksport 7.50 A. M., 1.05 and 5.55 P. M., and Saturdays only at 8.05 P. M. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 5.50 A. M., Mondays only; 8.50 A. M., 3.00 and 6.15 P. M. Arrive in Bangor at 6.50 A. M. Mondays only; 9.55 A. M., 4.10 and 7.10 P. M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 6.00 and 9.30 A. M. and 4.50 P. M. For Washington Co. R. R. at 6.00 A. M. daily, and 4.50 P. M. week days. Leave Ellsworth for Bar Harbor 7.18 and 10.52 A. M. and 6.10 P. M. and 7.18 A. M. daily for Washington Co. R. R.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.25 A. M. and 3.25 P. M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.15 A. M., 4.55 and 9.20 P. M. Leave Ellsworth 11.53 A. M., 5.31 and 9.58 P. M. Arrive Bangor 1.10, 6.55 and 11.15 P. M. Sundays only leave Ellsworth 6.08 P. M., arrive Bangor 7.25 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

For Ellsworth and Washington Co. R. R. 6.00 A. M. For Bath, Lewiston, Portland and Boston 8.00 A. M. and 8.00 P. M.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 1.15 and 11.30 P. M. From Greenville 9.20 A. M., 7.20 P. M. B. & A. R. R. 1.05 and 7.20 P. M.; Mattawamkeag 10.20 A. M.

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland 4.15 A. M., 3.00, 4.35 and 6.25 P. M. and from Portland and way stations only 11.45 A. M. From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter 9.05 A. M. Sundays from Boston and Portland 4.15 and 11.35 A. M. and 4.35 P. M.

Note—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central depot. For Exchange Street depot, a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to all principal points East and to all routes are on sale at the Maine Central ticket office. For Pullman berths or information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, ticket agent.

GEO. F. EVANS,
Vice Pres. and Gen'l Mgr.
F. E. BOOTHBY,
Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agt.

WASHINGTON COUNTY R. R. — THE SUNRISE ROUTE

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

In effect Oct. 2, 1899.

Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars between Calais and Boston. Through Coaches between Calais and Bangor.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

6.00 A. M., from and leaving Boston 7.45 p. m., daily (except Sunday); 7.00 p. m., Sundays; Portland 11.00 p. m., for and arriving at Franklin 7.50 a. m., Cherryfield 8.42 a. m., Machias 9.47 a. m., Calais 11.55 a. m., Eastport 11.45 a. m., daily, including Sundays, Princeton 12.32 p. m., daily, except Sundays. This train has Pullman Buffet Sleeping Car, Boston to Calais. First Class Coaches Bangor to Calais.

4.50 p. m., daily, except Sundays, from and leaving Boston 9.00 a. m., Portland 12.35 p. m., for and arriving Franklin 6.51 p. m., Cherryfield 7.37 p. m., Machias 8.45 p. m., Calais 10.30 p. m., Eastport 10.40 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Eastport 7.15 a. m., Calais 7.35 a. m., daily, except Sundays, for and arriving Machias 9.27 a. m., Cherryfield 10.31 a. m., Franklin 11.15 a. m., Bangor 1.10 p. m., Portland 5.35 p. m., Boston 9.05 p. m.

Leave Princeton 3.15 p. m., Eastport 5.40 p. m., Calais 5.15 p. m., daily, except Sundays, for and arriving Machias 7.37 p. m., Cherryfield 8.41 p. m., Franklin 9.25 p. m., Bangor 11.20 p. m., Portland 3.50 a. m., Boston 7.25 a. m. This train has Pullman Buffet Sleeping car Calais to Boston, First-class Coaches, Calais to Bangor.

Leave Calais 1.55 p. m., Eastport 1.50 p. m., Sundays only, for and arriving Machias 3.37 p. m., Cherryfield 4.51 p. m., Franklin 5.35 p. m., Bangor 7.30 p. m., Portland 1.30 a. m., Boston 5.37 a. m.

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H. F. DOWST, General Manager.

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Bangor, ...

Veazie National Bank of Bangor.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at their banking room ... the ninth ... o'clock ... for the choice of ... tors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

... Cashier.

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## THE [illegible] LETS.

This month has two new moons, one last night and another on the 30th.

The Queen City Senate No. 332, Knights of the Ancient Essenic order, will hold their installation of officers and serve a baked bean supper at 7.30 tonight.

Mr. Linwood S. Bunker, of Brewer, has been appointed to fill the vacancy in the probate office made by the resignation of Mr. Howard N. Floyd, who has creditably filled his position at the office for some time.

The readings and impersonations to be given by Prof. Otters assisted by several popular musicians at the Pine street M. E. church this evening will begin at 7.30. It will be one of the best entertainments of the season.

There is to be a reception given to the new rector of St. John's church, the Rev. Mr. Newbegin, this evening at 8 o'clock in the parish rooms to which all adult members of the parish are cordially invited.

Miss Morley's "talks" on "The Renewal of Life" are sure to attract large audiences. The first of the course will occurr at Memorial Parlors, Tuesday, January 2nd, at 4 o'clock. Everyone interested in child study should be present especially the members of the Kindergarten and Mothers' Clubs.

A happy wedding took place at No. 50 Charles street Monday, when Miss Carrie E. Gott of Rockland was united to Mr. Harry L. Wheelden of this city by Rev. Elmer F. Pember in the presence of a few friends and relatives. Both the young couple are well known and have the best wishes of their friends for a happy wedded life.

State Superintendent of Schools Stetson spoke in public 327 times during 1899.

The annual meeting of the King's Daughter's Union will be held in the Y. M. C. A. lecture room on Wednesday afternoon, January 3rd, at four o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Central church will be held at the vestries on Tuesday evening. Supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock. All members of the church and members of other churches worshipping at the Central church are cordially invited to be present.

Portland Press: Mr. Harry A. Chisholm, the well known drug clerk, has returned to his hime in this city from Bangor, where he has been employed for some time in one of the leading drug stores of that city. Mr. Chisholm will enjoy a well-earned rest as his health is not of the best.

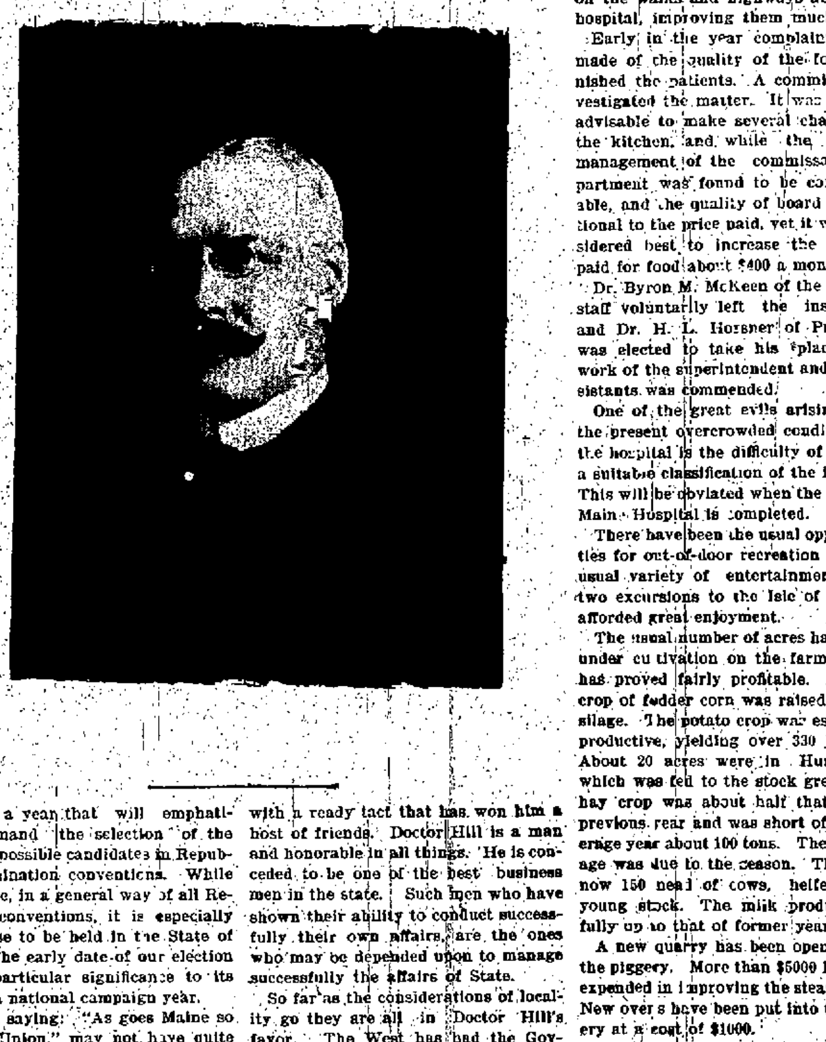
M. H. Rideout will give a lecture before the men's club of Grace church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Subject, "Wireless Telegraphy." Mr. Rideout has made a study of this subject and the lecture will be very interesting and will be illustrated by electrical apparatus. Every member is earnestly requested to be present.

## YALE ELECTS A MAINE BOY.

**Crosby Emery, of Ellsworth, Chosen to the Professorship of Political Economy.**

Professor Crosby Emery, of Ellsworth, professor of political economy and sociology at Bowdoin College for the last two years, has been elected to the professorship of political economy at Yale University. Professor Emery is the son of Judge L. A. Emery, of the Maine Supreme Court, and a graduate of Bowdoin in the class of '92. He studied economics and philosophy for a year at Harvard, receiving the degree of A. M.; was a fellow in social science at Columbia, receiving the degree of Ph. D., and pursued courses in the University of Berlin for two years. He is a member of the American and British Economic Association. Professor Emery is twenty-seven years old, and will be the youngest professor at Yale.

## HON. JOHN F. HILL AND THE GUBERNATORIAL NOMINATION.



This is a year that will emphatically demand the selection of the strongest possible candidates in Republican nomination conventions. While this is true, in a general way of all Republican conventions, it is especially so of those to be held in the State of Maine. The early date of our election gives a particular significance to its result in a national campaign year.

The old saying: "As goes Maine so goes the Union," may not have quite the force today that was the case before the growth of population during the past two decades had moved the centers of political power further to the west, but the fact remains that it is still regarded with deeper interest by people of the whole country. It is looked upon as a political barometer indicating with considerable accuracy the trend of popular sentiment and for this reason exerts a powerful influence upon the country at large.

The Republicans of Maine have always felt the responsibilities resting upon them in a presidential year, and have never yet failed to rise to the occasion.

There is no question but what the leadership of the party will be in strong hands this year. Hon. John F. Hill, of Augusta, from all appearances Hill of Augusta, from all appearances natorial nomination, and it is difficult to see how the party could very well find a stronger candidate. His record is certainly a conspicuously clean and able one. He was born and reared on a Maine farm, and has been all his life in everyday touch with the everyday people of his state. He is a man of pleasing presence, unaffectedly courteous and affable to his [illegible]

with a ready tact that has won him a host of friends. Doctor Hill is a man and honorable in all things. He is conceded to be one of the best business men in the state. Such men who have shown their ability to conduct successfully their own affairs, are the ones who may be depended upon to manage successfully the affairs of State.

So far as the considerations of locality go they are all in Doctor Hill's favor. The West has had the Governorship four years, and the East will have had it for the same length of time when Governor Powers completes his present term of office. It is only just, therefore, that the nomination this year should go to the central portion of the State, and particularly so when it is able to present such an unexceptionable candidate.

It will be recalled by our readers that Doctor Hill had a strong following for the gubernatorial nomination four years ago. The exigencies of the great national campaign then pending demanded that the greatest possible cooperation and harmony should prevail in Republican councils. In order that this should be fully promoted Doctor Hill withdrew from the contest giving Mr. Powers a clear field. During the exciting contest that followed and down to the present day he has given our present Governor a cordial and hearty support. [illegible] well of his party [illegible] ing that he [illegible] dorsement [illegible] by [illegible] State [illegible]

## INSANE HOSPITAL.

**OFFICERS OF THE ASYLUM AT AUGUSTA REPORT FOR 1899.**

## REVIEW OF THE WORK DONE.

**THE LARGEST NUMBER ADMITTED WERE WOMEN.**

**Many Improvements Made at the Institution—The Financial Standing And Other Matters.**

Augusta, Me., Jan. 1. The annual report of the officers of the Maine Insane Asylum shows that the demands made by the hospital upon the treasury during the year have not been as large as those made in previous years. The usual amount of attention has been given to interior repairs.

Every proper effort has been made by the superintendent and trustees to lessen the number of inmates in the hospital by sending back to their homes the harmless and those who appear to be cured. The inmates have always exceeded largely the number for whom the accommodations of the hospital were intended and at our monthly visit in July we found 764 patients, the largest number ever in the institution. The hospital was intended for 583 beds, and the patients now there require 760, thus calling for 171 extra cots and mattresses.

In March the trustees voted to place the $15,000 appropriated by the legislature in the hands of the building committee, to complete the coal pocket and construct a tramway from the river to the building. This work has been finished at a cost of $9000 and the pocket was completed for $6,243.50. The saving from the use of the tramway represents $1470 this year, which means the actual transportation of 2100 tons of coal, at a cost not exceeding 25 cents per ton from vessel to pocket. The former cost of discharging and hauling up the hill was from 95 cents to $1 per ton.

A stone crusher was purchased early in the season at a cost of $1200, and the machine has been successfully used at the hospital quarry, and its product on the walks and highways about the hospital, improving them much.

Early in the year complaints were made of the quality of the food furnished the patients. A committee investigated the matter. It was deemed advisable to make several changes in the kitchen, and while the general management of the commissary department was found to be commendable, and the quality of board proportional to the price paid, yet it was considered best to increase the amount paid for food about $400 a month.

Dr. Byron M. McKeen of the medical staff voluntarily left the institution and Dr. H. L. Horsner of Princeton was elected to take his place. The work of the superintendent and his assistants was commended.

One of the great evils arising from the present overcrowded condition of the hospital is the difficulty of making a suitable classification of the inmates. This will be obviated when the Eastern Maine Hospital is completed.

There have been the usual opportunities for out-of-door recreation and the usual variety of entertainment. The two excursions to the Isle of Springs afforded great enjoyment.

The usual number of acres have been under cultivation on the farm, which has proved fairly profitable. A large crop of fodder corn was raised for ensilage. The potato crop was especially productive, yielding over 330 bushels. About 20 acres were in Hungarian, which was fed to the stock green. The hay crop was about half that of the previous year and was short of the average year about 100 tons. The shrinkage was due to the season. There are now 150 head of cows, heifers and young stock. The milk product was fully up to that of former years.

A new quarry has been opened near the piggery. More than $5000 has been expended in improving the steam plant. New overs have been put into the bakery at a cost of $1000.

The needs for the next year are the completion of the coal pocket and the general improvement of the roads and walks. The general expenses of the hospital are much higher than they formerly were and are likely to be still further increased by the advanced price of food products.

The trustees commend the excellent and careful work of Treasurer and Steward M. S. Campbell. They give an abstract from the treasurer's report:

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| Cash, Dec. 1, 1898 | $ 1,655.42 |
| Receipts, hospital account | 195,155.67 |
| Appropriation for heating plant and coal pocket | 7,500.00 |
| | $203,310.99 |
| Disbursements, hospital account | $192,503.91 |
| Disbursements, appropriations | 4,259.36 |
| Cash, Nov. 30, 1899 | 7,047.72 |
| | $203,310.99 |

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heating improvements. Efforts will be made during the coming year to still further reduce the borrowed indebtedness, so as to place the finances in a situation so the treasurer can purchase all the supplies at cash prices.

Supt. B. T. Sanborn says in his report that aside from one suicide, a distressing accident whereby one patient met his death from the hands of another inmate, and the falling upon the floor of two old people, causing fracture of the head of the femur, nothing unusual has occurred to cause physical suffering. No especial malady of a contagious character has attacked any of the patients.

It is the prevailing opinion that in an institution of this kind there is witnessed an extreme degree of mental pain and suffering and he is constantly interrogated about the matter. He is more and more convinced that the existing impression among the public is much exaggerated. He can assure the patrons of the hospital that their unfortunate ones are conscious of but little mental suffering. Aggregating all the various types of mental disease, the mental and physical distress throughout the hospital is surprisingly limited.

August 8th there were 771 patients in the hospital, the largest number on one day in the history of the institution. But since there has been a decrease in the demands for admission and an opportunity to discharge a number, leaving the hospital at the close of the year in a less over-crowded condition.

The death rate was larger than the preceding year and up to the maximum during the history of the institution. It is accounted for in a measure by exhaustion from acute mental sickness. There has been a quite unprecedented admission of cases of acute mania and acute melancholia, which were quite intense in their mental and physical manifestations.

Dr. Sanborn reviews the improvements made. The most approved methods of plumbing have been introduced. More perfect sanitation exists throughout the entire institution than heretofore. He can scarcely recall a year when so much has been accomplished about the institution in ordinary repairs and improvements as in the one just closed. There have been constructed 534 feet of concrete sidewalks and the foundation is ready for 480 feet more.

During the last winter the hogs were attacked by cholera and there was much sickness among them, but it has not appeared since early spring, and it is hoped this contagion has passed.

The garden, considering the severity of the drought, exceeded expectations. The yield of vegetables was in excess of last year.

The committee in the Coburn amusement fund, report that the disbursements were $1,759.94.

The assets and receipts of the hospital library amounted to $3,393.07. The sum of $170.72 was expended leaving $3,222.35 in the treasury.

The board of chaplains say they believe sincerely that the small appropriation for religious services is money well expended, even though it did no more than furnish mental diversion for the class of patients able to profit by it.

The visiting committee, Councilors S. M. Bird and A. G. Blunt, and Mrs. Waldo Pettengill report that everything is all right at the hospital. Mrs. Pettengill sincerely hopes she may have been able to brighten some of the sad hours of the more appreciative patients.

Following has been the movement of population:

| | Men | Women | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Remaining Nov. 1898 | 398 | 335 | 733 |
| Admitted since | 152 | 97 | 249 |
| Number under treatment | 500 | 432 | 982 |
| DISCHARGES AND DEATHS. | | | |
| Recovered | 24 | 24 | 48 |
| Much improved | 23 | 14 | 31 |
| Improved | 16 | 5 | 21 |
| Unimproved | 16 | 8 | 24 |
| Not insane | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Died | 54 | 49 | 103 |
| Remaining Nov. 30, 1899 | 416 | 331 | 747 |

Among the most fertile causes of insanity were: Dissipation, 12 men and 2 women; heridty, 9 men and 7 women; grip, 13 men and 2 women; masturbation, 10 men and 1 women; religious excitement, 4 women; sentility, 6 men and 3 women; spiritualism, 1 woman; love affair, 1 man; critical period, 9 women.

Nine patients between 10 and 20 years of age were admitted; 54 between 20 and 40; 62 between 40 and 50; the latter the largest of any period. Three men admitted were between 80 and 90.

The married admitted were 127; single, 91; widowed, 26; divorced, 4. Five were admitted who had been insane for 20 years. The largest number of admissions was in April, 32; smallest, September, 8. The greatest mortality was in January, 15; the smallest, December, 2. Four died who were between 80 and 90 years of age. Five died who had been insane 28 years.

Of the occupation of those admitted women doing housework numbered the most, 76; farmers, 39; laborers, 34; no occupation, 12; seamen, 10.

The residences of those admitted from the cities were: Auburn, 2; Augusta, 12; Bangor, 12; Bath, 4; Belfast, 2; Biddeford, 2; Brewer, 3; Eastport, 3; Gardiner, 2; Hallowell, 1; Houlton, 1; Lewiston, 13; Oldtown, 3; Portland, 20; Rockland, 5; Saco, 2; South Portland, 2; Waterville, 2.

One patient came to the hospital for the 12th time; 1, tenth, 2 each, 6th, 7th and 8th.

Forty admitted were Catholics; 204 Protestants; 5, religion unknown.


# GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE

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# OVERSHOES AND RUBBERS.

A great chance to buy these cheap. We are reducing our prices and stock this week. All kinds, styles, and sizes are here. You will need overshoes this cold weather. Why let this opportunity pass? These goods are all first quality, but all in broken lots. Be an early buyer so as to secure your size.

Ladies' Button and Buckle Overshoes; broad and pointed toe; Boston; regular price $2.00, sale price, 75c

Misses' Storm Rubbers; opera toe, 30c

Children's Rubbers, extra heavy ones, regular price 55c, sale price 40c

Ladies' Storm Overshoes, broad and pointed toe, regular price $1.00, sale price, 50c

Ladies' Button Overshoes, bulldog toe, regular price $2.00, sale price, $1.50

1 lot Boys' Rubbers, 25c

1 lot Children's Rubbers, 10c

Ladies' High Cut Button and Buckle Overshoes regular price $2.00, sale price, $1.00

1 lot Misses' Storm Overshoes, 25c

1 lot Ladies' Spring Heel Rubbers, opera toe 32c

Misses' Button Overshoes; Bostons; regular price $1.65, sale price, $1.25

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## REFUSE TO PAY INSURANCE

**On Policy Carried on Cargo of Schooner Annie B. Jacobs, Which Put Into Machias in Distress.**

A despatch from Machias says: The Union Insurance Co. of Bangor has refused to pay Capt. Wilson of New Haven, Conn., former owner of the schooner Anna B. Jacobs, the amount of the policy carried on the vessel's cargo. The Anna B. Jacobs sailed from Calais Dec. 8 with a cargo of lumber and put into Machias on the 14th inst. in distress. Her captain, A. R. Kinghorn, entered a protest in which he said that when off Quoddy on Dec. 14 his schooner was struck by a squall, shipping a heavy sea, straining the vessel badly and causing her to leak 400 strokes per hour.

A survey was called on the arrival of the vessel at Machias which ordered her cargo discharged and finally condemned her, recommending that the voyage be abandoned. The vessel being condemned prior to the completion of her voyage, Capt. Kingshorn made a demand upon the Union Insurance Co. of Bangor, underwriters of the freight, for his insurance money, which amount was refused on the ground that nothing materially bad had happened to the schooner.

C. E. Wilson of New Haven, Conn., owner of the vessel, arrived in town Saturday and will at once commence action against the insurance company for 40 per cent. of the schooner's freight, this being the vessel's proportionate share. Capt. Kingshorn also will contest his claim against underwriters without delay. The Anna B. Jacobs has been sold to the Mansfield Wrecking Co. of Jonesport at private sale.

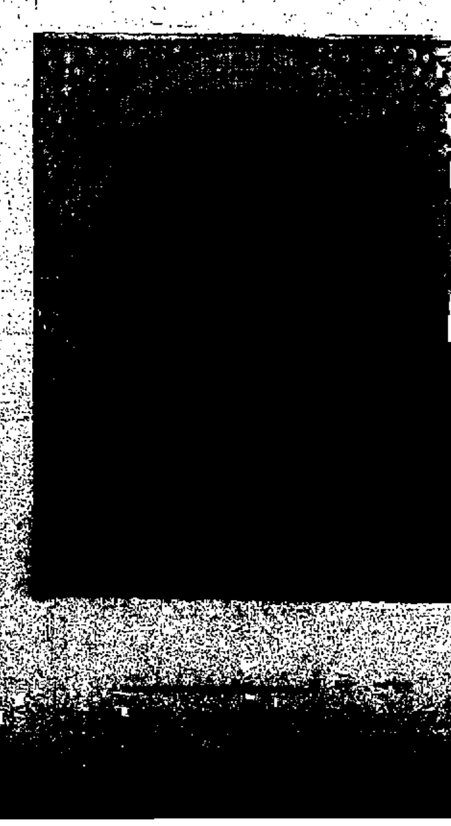
## NOT IN A BUNCH.

**Maine Central Men May Expect Advance in Wages as the Financial Conditions Permit.**

For the past year the wages of the employes of the Maine Central Railroad company in the several departments have been slightly increased from time to time, and no doubt has given rise to a report that a 10 per cent. advance in the wages of the railroad men would occur with January 1, 1900, which is erroneous, as authoritatively given, says an Associated Press despatch.

The year with the Maine Central railroad company has been prosperous and the management has looked as carefully to the interest of its employes as the stock holders. It is stated that wages in different departments have been far from equal, in accordance to labor, which has been a feature the management has been giving careful attention, to see that with the beginning of the new year there may be a [illegible] in wages paid. [illegible] employes of the Maine Central railroad company Jan. 1, the men may expect advances as the financial condition of the road will permit from time to time.

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## ANNUAL MEETING.

The members of the Children's Home Corporation will hold their annual meeting at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 2, in the Board of Trade room, City Hall, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

Georgiana Brown, Secretary.

## ORONO NEWS.

Mr. Warner Welch, of Windber, Penn., and his sister Florence, of Massachusetts, who were here to attend the funeral of their father Sunday, left Monday night for their respective homes.

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Miss Josie Gillis, of Foxcroft, is visiting in town.

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John Willett has returned from Grindstone, where he has been employed as scaler for A. Smith.

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Mr. Charles P. Gray has returned from a trip through Washington and Hancock counties where he has been making arrangements for concerts of the University of Maine Glee and Mandolin-Guitar Clubs in the following towns: Ellsworth, Cherryfield, Machias, Calais and Eastport. The trip will be made either the last of January or the first of February.

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Ticket No. 44 drew the beautiful picture of Evangeline in Connor's lottery.

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Mr. William Mosher returned to his home in Montague this morning after passing Monday in town.

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Mr. Fred Abbott, who some time ago leased the Gilbert rent on Pine street, of which mention has been made in the Whig, has moved into his new quarters from Mill street.

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The most prosperous thermometer on Monday morning sung a song of [illegible] degrees below zero. Can anyone beat that?

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Notwithstanding the severe storm of Monday the clerks ball held in Town Hall was a grand success. A large number from out of town were in attendance and they all enjoyed dancing to excellent music by Hall's orchestra. At intermission a delicious supper was served by the ladies of the Universalist parish, who deserve great credit for their pains in preparing such a repast. The affair was under the management of the following Orono clerks: Robert Bond, Fred Whittier, Hal Ring, Guy Stevens, Allen Powers, Fred Harris, Edward Betters, Frank Page, Harry White and Ferdinand Parou. Hal Ring acted as floor manager. The aids were George Foster, Bangor; [illegible] Oldtown; Fred Harris, [illegible] Rollins, University [illegible] all aided in making [illegible] that it was.

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## SEVERELY TESTED

HARRY S. CORNISH CLOSELY QUESTIONED BY ATTORNEY [illegible]

## SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS

VALUABLE EVIDENCE OBTAINED IN MOLINEUX TRIAL.

Other Witnesses Examined By Attorneys—Coroner's Physician Weston Among Them.

New York, Jan. 2. The eighth [illegible] and the 17th day of the trial of Roland B. Molineux for the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams opened with Harry S. Cornish again on the stand. The cross examination of Cornish by Attorney Weeks was the feature of the day. Molineux, [illegible] as a result of [illegible] count of the New Year's [illegible] watched the witness with [illegible] interest than he has manifested before during the trial.

Mr. Weeks asked Cornish about the hour of his return home from the Knickerbocker A. C. on the night of Dec. 27, 1898. Cornish admitted that he was mistaken in [illegible] testimony as to the time. [illegible] was compelled to [illegible] questions regarding [illegible] the various members of the household of Mrs. Adams. Cornish [illegible] he could not remember [illegible] him that Mrs. Rogers, the daughter of Mrs. Adams, had separated from her husband. [illegible] ed a divorce from him in March [illegible] Under a severe cross examination [illegible] admitted that he [illegible] that she had died in [illegible] name was Mrs. Patterson [illegible] sent the woman to a hospital [illegible] she died and that he had paid [illegible] penses incurred in [illegible] burial. Cornish [illegible] by the searching [illegible] Mr. Weeks [illegible] know all about [illegible] told your detective [illegible]

CLOSELY [illegible]

Mr. Weeks asked [illegible] gone to Chicago to find out [illegible] the detectives had done. Cornish acknowledged that he had. Cornish was closely questioned concerning his [illegible] it to the office of Mr. Yocum, [illegible] Cornish styled his "best friend" [illegible] was asked as to the route to [illegible] going from Yocum's office [illegible] Dec. 23. This line of questioning [illegible] significant, as it developed [illegible]


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